WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Wednesday: Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, partly cloudy and cool.

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BEGG COMPANY BUILDS SECOND CITY GARAGE

Property Acquired on Yates St. and One-story Building Will be Erected

Company's Quadra St. Garage Nears Completion and Will Be Occupied This Month

With the completion of negotiations involving the purchase of property on Yates Street yesterday, F. Bruce Begg, of the Begg Motor Company, announced that his company would proceed at once with the erection of a second garage building in the city.

The Begg Company has purchased through the firm of Gillespie, Hart and Todd, property known as Lot 373 fronting on Yates Street.

The company, as previously announced, recently purchased from the city a reverted lot on Johnson Street which is located immediately behind the newly-acquired Yates Street property.

The consummation of the latter deal now gives the Begg Company a building site which runs through from Yates Street to Johnson Street, giving a total area measuring 60 feet by 240 feet.

ONE STORY BUILDING

A one story building of brick construction will be erected on the site immediately, Mr. Begg states.

James Wood, local manager for the Begg Motor Company, announced to-day that the new garage will be used for the exclusive display, sale and repair of automobiles of the Nash and Ajax type. The usual service facilities will also be provided. The new garage will be in close proximity to the fine new garage building which the Begg Motor Company is completing on Quadra Street, extending the length of the entire block from Yates Street to View Street.

The Quadra Street garage, which is the most modern and up-to-date in the city, will be occupied this month by the Begg Motor Company.

ELECTION PETITION EFFORT IS FAILURE

Examiner Decides Against Collins, Conservative Candidate in Peace River

Ottawa, June 1.—That the petition of James Arthur Collins, Conservative candidate in the Peace River constituency in Alberta in the last Federal general election, for an investigation by a parliamentary committee into the vote cast in Peace River had not been received, was the ruling of Walter Todd, examiner of petitions, read in the House of Commons by Speaker Lemieux this afternoon.

The Speaker had already ruled some days ago that another petition would not be accepted, and his ruling was sustained by the House.

The opinion of the examiner of petitions read to-day sustained the view taken by the Speaker when the other petition was presented on behalf of Mr. Collins.

Following debate during which Right Hon. Arthur Meighen asked that the Speaker rule the report was beyond the powers of the examiner, Speaker Lemieux postponed his decision until the report was printed in the Votes and Proceedings of the House.

PORTUGAL TO HAVE NEW PRESIDENT

Machado Resigns Following Ousting of Silva Ministry; Cabecadas is New Premier

Lisbon, June 1.—Bernardino Machado, President of Portugal, has resigned.

Seven military divisions, commanded by General Gomez Da Costa, commander of the Northern revolutionary forces, are entraining for Lisbon.

Until General Da Costa arrived the government will continue in the hands of Commander Mendes Cabecadas, one of the leaders in last Sunday's overthrow of the Da Silva Ministry and who yesterday assumed the post of Premier on the invitation of President Machado.

NON-PARTISAN MINISTRY

The revolutionists last night made known to the President their desire for the formation of a new government entirely outside of the political parties.

The Confederation of Labor is making preparations to oppose any attempt to establish a military dictatorship.

HON. M. MADDEN DIED IN QUEBEC

Quebec, June 1. — Hon. Martin Madden, a member of the Government of Quebec without portfolio, died at 3 o'clock this morning after a short illness, aged fifty-seven.

He is survived by a widow and eight children.

Nanaimo Assize Court in Session

Nanaimo, June 1.—The Nanaimo Spring Assize Court opened this morning with Mr. Justice Murphy presiding. There were five cases on the docket, none of them of a serious nature.

LIQUOR TAKEN FROM EVERETT EXCURSIONISTS AND DUMPED INTO HARBOR

American Customs Officers Said to Have Exceeded Authority in Canadian Territory by Seizing and Destroying Sealed Containers From Holiday Visitors From Everett.

American customs officers yesterday spoiled what might otherwise have been designated an enjoyable holiday for a large number of United States citizens who came to Victoria from Everett, Wash., to spend Decoration Day.

It is estimated that 1,000 Americans came over from the States yesterday on the special steamship Princess Charlotte.

The visitors apparently spent a most enjoyable afternoon in taking in the sights of the city and in sampling its attractions.

It was a joyous and boisterous party of holiday-makers which wended its way down to the Belleville Street wharves to board the steamship for the return trip to Everett.

Many of them carried excess baggage of the kind that is frowned upon by officials of Uncle Sam who are charged with the enforcement of the provisions of the Volstead Act. All went well until the boat's gangway was reached. The happiest section of the crowd lost their gay bearing somewhat when they were accosted by two American customs officers stationed on the boat.

ZEALOUS OFFICIALS

These zealous officials proceeded to "frisk" the bulky forms and make a close inspection of all weighty grips.

Good liquor in Government sealed bottles were ruthlessly parted from their owners.

With a vindictiveness that appeared to be out of all proportion to nature of the alleged offense, the American officers smashed the containers over the ship's side and liquor of a quality that is seldom seen on the other side of the international border mixed with the salt water of the harbor to the disgust of the late owners.

Strong protests were made but to no avail. There was no discrimination. All the liquor that found its way into the eager hands of the busy officers met the same fate.

Broken bottles were scattered all around and the height of the water in the Inner Harbor is said to have risen several inches.

The authority of the American customs officers, who came over from Everett with the excursion party, was questioned on all sides.

FIGURE AT LABOR MEETING IN GENEVA; ALBERT THOMAS

One of the leaders at International Labor Conference now in progress in Geneva is Albert Thomas of France. He presented a report yesterday as director of the International Labor Office.

MOSCICKI IS NEW POLISH PRESIDENT

Professor Elected To-day by National Assembly in Warsaw on Second Ballot

Warsaw, June 1.—Professor Ignatz Moscicki is the new President of Poland. He was elected by the National Assembly to-day to succeed President Wojciechowski, who resigned following the recent military coup led by Marshal Pilsudski.

The election came on the second ballot of the day. Professor Moscicki received 281 votes as against 200 for ex-Count Bninski, candidate of the Right Parties, and one for M. Marek, Socialist. Sixty-three ballots were blank. Seven parliamentarians were absent, which meant that 274 votes were necessary for election.

Marshal Pilsudski was elected by the Assembly yesterday, but declined the post, because he said the constitution did not protect the chief executive from Parliament by giving him power to dissolve Parliament even in case of urgent necessity. Professor Moscicki, elected to-day, was his choice for the place.

IS FIFTY-NINE

Professor Moscicki was born in 1867. He studied chemistry in the University of Riga, and also studied in London and for a time was professor of electro-chemistry and electro-physics in various universities.

Later he originated large factories for the manufacture of synthetic fertilizers, according to his own patent. After the upper Silesian plebiscite he was made director of the fertilizer works at Chorzov, Poland. When The Hague Tribunal returned Chorzov to Germany he was appointed a professor in the University of Lemberg.

CITY TAKES FIRST BANK LOAN TO-DAY

Will Borrow $35,000 This Week to Complete Payments of $70,000 Falling Due

The first time in five months of the current year that the City has been called upon to use its bank credit occurred to-day when $15,000 was borrowed to complete $70,000 required for current expenses. Taxpayers again came to the aid of the city treasury by advance deposits last week, cutting an expected $25,000 loan to $15,000 as the first borrowing to be made this year. Last year at this time $320,000 had been borrowed from the bank.

By depositing $302,293 in advance tax payments since the first of the year citizens of Victoria will draw down interest sums amounting to $11,869, or at the rate of six per cent. per annum. The interest will act as a rebate against tax bills and is proving a popular feature of the plan for the voluntary settlement of tax bills in advance of due date.

Though tax accounts are not due until October 15 this year already more money had been advanced to the city in five months than in the entire period open to voluntary subscribers to the plan last year, when $282,000 was raised by October. At this date last year $225,420 had been received in advance tax sums, as against $302,291, the total announced to-day for five months period.

Though the city's first borrowing in 1926 was made to-day, it will go again to the bank before the end of the week for a further $25,000.

City officials were highly pleased at the record showing announced to-day, chiefly by virtue of the fact that it marks the subscription of large numbers of ratepayers to the voluntary pre-payment of taxes plan. Actually the city pays more to the ratepayers than it does to the bank for its money, but the difference is slight, and the taxpayers receive the benefit of the interest sums thus paid.

SUNK IN HUDSON RIVER BY TANKER; SS. WASHINGTON IRVING

VICTORIA BUSINESS MEN TO TELL BOARD OF RATE PROBLEMS

Strong Case For Reductions to be Laid Before Commissioners by Manufacturers

Hearing Here Set For Middle of July; McGeer Arranges Local Representations

Just how high western freight rates affect Victoria business will be explained to the Railway Board at a session here about the middle of July by local manufacturers and businessmen. G. G. McGeer, K.C., Government rate counsel, who has charge of the case which the Province will lay before the rate tribunal, came to Victoria yesterday to confer with businessmen here and arrange for their appearance before the railway commissioners. Definite plans for making these representations are being shaped now.

PLAN COMPREHENSIVE CASE

"We are anxious to have a comprehensive case laid before the board by the men who are actually feeling the pinch of exorbitant western transportation costs," Mr. McGeer explained. "While the Government is preparing an exhaustive case, covering all angles of the question, it is felt that the men actually engaged in business should tell the board about their individual problems and show how high rates injure them. In this way the whole field will be covered in the most effective way possible."

Mr. McGeer conferred here yesterday with members of the Victoria branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association and with leading businessmen who will appear before the board. He will hold similar conferences with businessmen in other cities, so that the entire Province may be covered by the case to be laid before the commissioners during their western tour.

BOARD COMING WEST

Members of the board will come to the interior of the Province from Alberta about July 1, according to tentative dates announced to-day. They will hold sittings in Nelson and the Okanagan Valley and then move down to the coast for meetings in Vancouver and later in Victoria. They are expected here about July 10 or 11 after sitting in Vancouver July 9.

COAL STRIKE IN GREAT BRITAIN MONTH OLD AND NO PACT FORESEEN

London, June 1 — Premier Baldwin announced in the House of Commons to-day that the Government was reserving complete liberty of action regarding the tieup in the coal fields of Great Britain.

The Premier stated the Government must reserve complete liberty in view of the fact that the coal proposals, including an offer of a subsidy of £3,000,000, had brought no response from either the miners or the coal owners.

His statement was an answer to a question by former Premier Ramsay MacDonald, Labor leader, concerning the status of the subsidy.

READY TO NEGOTIATE

Mr. Baldwin said he was willing to resume negotiations to end the coal strike at any moment, but he was unwilling to pledge the taxpayers' money to support indefinitely this one industry in the shape of a subsidy.

He also said he would not be forced by the tieup to take any political action to control the mines.

A few minutes later, debate began on the coal situation.

Mr. MacDonald declared the Government's recent action, and then its inaction, had played the game of the owners in the coal dispute. As the two parties could not agree, Mr. MacDonald urged the Government step in for the purpose of seeing whether or not a settlement of the strike, now a month old, could be reached.

The coal strike, which led to the general strike throughout Great Britain, began on May 1.

ADVOCATES OF BEER WAGE STRONG FIGHT AMONG CITY VOTERS

In a determined attempt to introduce beer parlors into Victoria, advocates of beer-by-the-glass are circulating a petition throughout the city, urging the Government to grant a new plebiscite on the question here. They will have to secure the signatures of forty per cent of the registered voters on the 1925 voters' list, or thirty-five per cent of those on the 1926 list before the Government will consider their proposal. Strong efforts are being made to secure this large number of names so that the petition may be presented to the Government as soon as possible.

B.C. Guards Against Loss Of Indian Works Of Art

Vancouver, June 1. — Legislation has been promised at the present session of Parliament supplementing that passed at the last session of the Legislature of British Columbia protecting Indian petroglyphs, totem poles and works of art of historic interest from vandalism, officials of the Native Sons of British Columbia have been informed.

Hon. William Sloan introduced at the last session of the Legislature the Historic Objects Bill, which provides for a fine of $500 for interference with any Indian work or historic object which has been declared such by the Provincial Secretary.

RESERVATION LEGISLATION

This act, it is stated, is the basis for the proposed Federal measure. The Province could not legislate for Indian reserve lands, and the Federal authorities consequently framed a bill for the protection of totem poles, rock carvings, pictographs and other Indian relics on the reservations.

The proposed bill, it is stated, will stipulate that before any mortuary totem, grave box, or other Indian work of art may be removed from a reservation or from British Columbia, permission must be obtained from the Assistant Deputy Minister of Indian Affairs. This also refers to stone carvings, images and other similar objects. Severe penalties are provided for mutilation or acts of vandalism such as are reported to have taken place on Vancouver Island recently.

NAME WAS CARVED

Ancient rock carvings near Nanaimo were mutilated by vandals who defaced some of the best examples of pre-historic engravings, it is said. The petroglyphs at Sproat Lake also are reported to have been marred by a tourist who carved his name and the date of his visit in the rock with a cold chisel

Not alone is the proposed legislation intended to protect the relics in place, but is intended to keep them within the country. One British and six United States universities had field parties in the Province last year. They took away a great many old totems and curios.

Nothing in the proposed act will stop Indians making totems for direct sale to the tourists.

CUSTOMS OFFICERS SEARCH GULF FOR MYSTERY SEAPLANE

Officers Saw Aircraft Fly to Point Near Salt Spring Island

Search Fails to Disclose Whereabouts or Identity of Machine

Customs officers are watching for a mystery seaplane, sighted last week near Darcy Island, formerly a Government leper station, and which has aroused suspicion in official circles here. An investigation conducted by customs officers operating on the quarantine launch Evelyn, was successful to the extent of actually sighting the aircraft.

While cruising in the Gulf, in the vicinity of Darcy Island, officers aboard the Evelyn sighted a seaplane which flew from the general direction of Port Townsend and which appeared to descend in the vicinity of Salt Spring Island.

All haste was made to find the mystery craft. Under full speed the Evelyn raced for the spot where the aircraft was thought to have landed. The officers, on the alert for a sign of the plane, scanned the coast line with glasses and ferreted into every little bay or shelter where it might take refuge. Nowhere, however, was the machine to be found.

Customs Officer Capt. A. R. Bittancourt, in charge of the customs launch Winnimac, and who has several sensational arrests to his credit, has been instructed by the Customs Department to further investigate the reports of the movements of this mysterious flying machine across the Gulf waters.

Capt. Bittancourt is on the alert for the mystery craft. Although no information of any sort has been gathered as to the identity of the plane, it is suspected that she may be engaged in illicit traffic of some sort or other and the customs men are anxious to make the acquaintance of the "bird-man" who flies here in such secrecy.

Thirty Bandits in Damascus Killed

Paris, June 1.—A Hasa dispatch from Beirut says French partisans, in the course of cleanup operations in Damascus gardens between the Kurd and Amara quarter, killed about thirty bandits.

C. P. HOWARD IS NEW LEADER OF PRINTERS

Typographical Union of U.S. and Canada Elects Him Over James Lynch

Indianapolis, Ind., June 1—James Lynch, president of the International Typographical Union and a prominent labor leader for more than thirty-five years, received the first political setback of his career to-day when incomplete returns on the union's election indicated his defeat by Charles P. Howard of Chicago.

Lynch was running 2,200 votes behind Howard on returns from 735 locals, with about 100 unions to be heard from. Additional returns are not expected to change the result materially.

The election was held in the local unions last Wednesday and results were mailed to headquarters.

NEW YORK RIVER STEAMER SUNK BY OIL TANKER

Washington Irving, 4,000-ton Hudson River Day Liner, Went Down Off Hoboken, N.J., Shortly After the Last Passenger Had Been Taken Off; Only Upper Works Now Above Water; Tanker Struck Her During Dense Fog

New York, June 1.—With 600 passengers aboard, the Washington Irving, pride of the Hudson River Day Line's Albany-New York fleet, was rammed by a tanker off Hoboken, N.J., to-day and sank.

All the passengers were reported rescued before the boat sank.

Water came into the damaged hold so fast after the impact that shortly after the last passenger had been taken off the boat had sunk to a depth that left only her superstructure above the surface.

The Washington Irving, a sidewheeler of 4,000 tons, had just left the New York pier for her daily run to Albany when the unidentified tanker crashed into her in a dense fog. Nearby craft swarmed to her assistance and the passengers were taken ashore.

The vessel, designed exclusively for daylight passenger service and said to be the largest river craft in the world, was launched in December, 1923, in the presence of Sir Thomas Lipton and other notables.

HIS MINISTRY IS UPHELD ON VOTE; PREMIER BRIAND

Paris, June 1.—The Chamber of Deputies voted confidence in the Briand Government this afternoon, 313 to 147.

Premier Briand put the question of confidence squarely upon the issue of adjournment of the finance debate. He said he would not submit to repeated attacks on the Government, because the situation was too grave.

He promised to give the Chamber an explanation of his financial policy at the end of June.

NO VANCOUVER MOVE TO END JAYWALKING

Clause of New Traffic By-law Not to be Enforced Till Signals Erected

Vancouver, June 1.—Anti-jaywalking regulations contained in the amended street traffic by-law of Vancouver will not be enforced, it was announced by Mayor Louis D. Taylor to-day. Complete enforcement of the provisions of the by-law with respect to auto traffic will be delayed until signals, governing both pedestrians and motorists, are established in the city.

The new traffic regulations went into effect to-day.

MUCH PUBLICITY

While copies of the by-law are not yet ready for general distribution, considerable publicity has been given the new provisions of the by-law and all citizens operating motor and other vehicles are expected to be familiar with the new regulations.

There is a move at the City Hall to have this clause prohibiting jaywalking reconsidered. Several aldermen are known to be opposed to its inclusion and state they were under the impression it had been deleted from the new by-law.

The police traffic experts advised it would be impracticable to enforce the clause against jaywalking until some form of automatic traffic control should be adopted for the busy streets.

PASSENGERS DELAYED

New London, Conn., June 1.—The Fall River liner Priscilla, with 560 passengers aboard, which went aground in a heavy fog at Great Gull Island during the night, arrived here in tow of the tug Elmer Keeler this morning. The passengers were taken aboard a special train for transportation to Newport and Fall River.

The damage to the vessel was negligible.

ENTRIES IN BOOKS ARE QUESTIONED

Customs Inquiry Committee Told Dominion Distillery's Bookkeeping Doubted

Ottawa, June 1.—The opinion of a professional examiner regarding questioned documents was given at this forenoon's session of the Commons customs inquiry committee.

J. J. Lomax, attached to the courthouse in Montreal, told how he had tested the ink on the pages of cheque voucher books of the Dominion Distillery and found reactions to the water test which convinced him the whole book had been entered up within six weeks of March 31 and April 7, when his tests were made. The books in which the affairs of the company were recorded also were new and the paste in the bindings fresh, but they contained entries of two years ago, he said. Under the test, he was sure the entries had all been made at once.

GENUINE ENTRIES

Other books which did not react to the water test, but did to an oxide test, indicating they had not been entered recently, were probably genuine, he said.

In one book, entries dated March 1924 actually had been made about the beginning of this year, he said.

In one ledger, account No. 1, ostensibly the oldest in the book was the most recently written, said the witness.

Representatives of three firms in Montreal were called and asked if they had received cheques for $250 entered in the books of Dominion Distillery. Each said he had no record of this matter.

BANK CLERK TESTIFIED

The paying teller of a branch of the Royal Bank then testified these cheques had been paid to A. Nicol, bookkeeper of the George companies. They must have been made out to "Cash," he said. He would not have cashed them otherwise to anybody except the payees. The cancelled cheques had been returned to the company, he said.

MOOSE CONVENTION IN TERMINAL CITY

6,000 Delegates Expected at Sessions June 3, 4 and 5; Elaborate Plans

Vancouver, June 1.—The eleventh annual Northwest Moose Association convention will be held in Vancouver June 3, 4 and 5. It is estimated 6,000 members will attend, coming from all parts of British Columbia and from Washington, Oregon and Idaho, as well as from California.

This will be the largest convention that has ever been held by the order, and elaborate plans have been made by the local lodge for the entertainment of the delegations.

The opening session will take place Thursday morning in the ballroom of the Hotel Vancouver. Addresses of welcome will be made by Premier Oliver, Mayor L. D. Taylor and members of the Vancouver Lodge.

British-Israelites Open New Hall With Impressive Ceremony

King's Hall, formerly the Bank of British North America, now the new lecture hall of the Victoria British-Israel Association, was opened last night with an impressive ceremony.

The honorary president of the association, Rev. C. M. Tate, led the invocation, after which Psalm 51 was read. Rev. Mark Jukes, M.A., of Vancouver, read the dedicatfon of Solomon's temple. He drew the attention of the audience to the fact that there was a general misapprehension that the organization was primarily a religious one, stating that the message of British-Israel was founded upon historic facts.

Rev. C. Batzold, speaking on "Israel My People," asserted that there were numerous evidences to identify Anglo-Saxon races with Israel.

To-night Rev. Mark Jukes will follow up this subject, showing the migration of Israel through Asia and Europe as revealed by modern research and archaeology.

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MUSICAL NOTES

By G.J.D.

The honor of presiding over the destinies of the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club for the season 1926-27 has been bestowed upon Mrs. J. O. Cameron, who was elected president of this active organization this week. The reward is her due. She has given, during many years now, much time, attention and enthusiasm to the V.L.M.C., and in occupying the highest office of the club will no doubt worthily follow in the footsteps of her many admirable predecessors. One is pleased to see that Mrs. S. McClure, the retiring president, has allowed her name to be included among the executive committee. Few there are in the West who have a greater intimacy with the works of the great masters than has Mrs. McClure. The threshold to the portals of her music learning, study, and reading are illuminating, sound, extensive, enviable and reliable.

A note to remind all those interested that the fourth annual competition of the British Columbia Musical Festival opened at Vancouver yesterday morning and will conclude with a big concert on Saturday evening, June 5, at the huge Arena. It is much to be regretted that the Arion Club and the Esquimalt School Choir, two very popular local organizations, are not going over this year to compete. It will be a keen disappointment to the mainland city, where both have been anticipated and are well known, particularly in the case of the Arion Club.

Josef Haydn, affectionately called "papa," and at one time the teacher of Beethoven, in his declining years affixed to the fragment of his last quartette the following: "All my strength, alas! is gone. Old and weak am I." Haydn died at the age of seventy-seven in 1809.

Meyerbeer, the famous dramatic composer, was excessively careful in technical detail, and left nothing to chance. His daily routine, like Lamartine, began at six in the morning, when he worked till noon after which he received or paid visits, these he mapped out each week. At 2 o'clock he took an hour's walk, returning to his work, continuing at it till nearly midnight, scarcely giving himself the necessary time for dinner. He continued this life of hard work to the end, always planning further achievements and more glory. Mozart was his idol. Although always feeble in health he died over seventy years of age. His great composition, the "Africane," occupied him through life. So exacting was he in its construction—he was constantly cutting and polishing page after page—it never seemed to satisfy him. A year after his death (April 28, 1865), this cherished opera, which lay on his heart in the very article of death, had a triumphant reception at Paris.

Los Angeles will have several Summer master classes this coming June and July. Among these will be one directed by Louis Graveure, the famous English baritone, this being his third Summer class in that musical city.

Our old friend and once fellow citizen, J. MacMillan Muir, recently took a dual role with great distinction in the production of the opera, "The Monk of Toledo," by the Grand Opera Association of Portland. Mr. Muir is thorough, ambitious and studious.

"Impressions of a Mountain" is the name of a new suite for orchestra by a San Francisco composer. It should prove an imaginative and inspirational subject for theme and "treatment."

Chinese music is doubtless especially intended for Chinese ears. I candidly admit I failed to fully appreciate its merits at a special rehearsal for my benefit quite recently. Its peculiar style—characteristic and weird—although intensely interesting to watch, makes one feel that it is necessary for those who listen to it either to have been born in the "Celestial Empire," or trained in early life to its peculiarities. One of the pieces played on the occasion referred to was "War Songs." It began like a series of dynamite explosions, the detonations and shrieks of the wounded being vividly rendered by the enormous cymbals and a shrill fife. The Chinese fiddle was a masterpiece in "glide" and note sameness, and the manipulation of one or two novel instruments in the production of certain realistic effects, was a delight to witness, to say the least. The finale was terrific at close quarters. But the players enjoyed their music greatly, and were supremely in earnest in all their "movements." I was informed that a dance tune was one of the orchestra's "best numbers." To me it resembled the noise of a boiler factory.

From all accounts Seattle is to have next season a wonderful list of visiting artists.

A concert given in Montreal, two weeks ago, under the patronage of the retiring Governor-General of Canada, Lord Byng, was of more than usual interest. The programme rendered was by native-born artists of Canada of international fame. Those taking part were Florence Eastman, soprano; Jeanne Gordon, contralto; Edward Johnson, tenor; Edmund Burke, basso, and Wilfred Pelletier, pianist.

Marcel Dupre, the distinguished French organ virtuoso, in a letter to his western representative, M. F. Sheridan of Vancouver, says he, with his wife, has settled down at Meudon, ten minutes journey from Paris. He has bought a lovely home overlooking Paris, and in one of its rooms has had a music room especially built for a pipe organ, this being no less than the organ once owned by the famous organist Guilmant, recently purchased by Dupre. This organ has twenty-eight stops, and three manuals, and has remained in Guilmant's house ever since his death in 1911. Dupre is delighted to have this instrument, beloved so much by his illustrious, and "dear master." Marcel Dupre has just been appointed professor of organ at the Paris Conservatoire, considered one of the highest organ positions in all France. Curiously enough Dupre is the sixth professor in that class which was founded more than a century ago. The others were Benoist of Nantes, Cesar Franck of Liege, Widor of Lyons, Guilmant of Boulogne, and Gigout of Nancy. It will be remembered that Dupre played here with great success on two occasions. He says he is hoping to visit Victoria again in 1927.

A Jewish musical festival was held at Madison Square Garden, New Yor, last Sunday with the object of raising an endowment fund of $1,000,000 for the establishment of the first Jewish college in America. Seats were sold at $100, $75 and $50, while boxes fetched $1,500 and $1,000.

The Boston Globe says: "Blessed is that first person who will give a Mozart opera here." Thus is Boston crying aloud for Mozart.

Mendelssohn's "Elijah" was given in San Francisco last Thursday. The chorus of 500 voices comprised the members of the municipal chorus, the girls' glee clubs of Lowell, and the girls' high schools. It is said that Santley's singing of the great aria, "It Is Enough," was more impressive than most sermons.

Leopold Godowsy and Heifetz are both touring South America.

Mary Garden says she may end her career by retiring into a convent.

Henry Purcell's opera, "Dido and Aeneas," is to be given its first performance in Germany at Munstar.

French critic describes Carpenters's "Skyscrapers" as "cacophonic cubist, jazzbandist and amorphous."

The founders of the San Francisco Opera Association number 2,500. Opening on September next ten grand operas will be produced. These will be given in the exposition auditorium, which has a seating capacity of 6,000. All the boxes have already been sold

An Evening With the Opera

A delightful audition of some singing pupils of Cav. Dr. Di Castri took place in his studio last evening before a gathering of many parents and friends. The programme, designated "An Evening With the Opera," though ambitious was splendidly maintained throughout, and before its conclusion there were many surprises. In all fifteen selections were given, taken from grand opera, each number associated with its high standards and traditions, being well-known and constant favorites. It was noticed that each contributor sang without their music, each singer seemingly being quite at home with his or her number, and all giving manifest of much study and painstaking tuition. Indeed, seldom has there been heard better or more praiseworthy efforts by vocal students in the city than were evinced last evening. Enunciation, phrasing, breath control, interpretation and delivery were commendable to a degree, and those present evidently enjoyed every moment of the audition.

The programme opened with the chorus, "Oh, Haste, Crimson Morning," from "Lucia di Lammermoor," those taking part being the Misses' Pottinger, Howell, Jenkins, Ross and Crossley, Mrs. Pinkerton, and the Messrs. Dunn, Trerie, McFarllen, Moss and Ridgley, and in this as also in the case of the other two choruses, "Hail to the Bridal Day" and the famous "Sextette," was there some spirited and splendid singing. Outstanding features were the numbers by Miss J. N. Pottinger, Miss C. E. Howell, Mr. J. Dunn, Mr. J. J. Matheson, Mr. J. Moss, and Mr. F. Smedley. Miss Pottinger was indeed a genuine surprise. In her three numbers "Vissi d'Aote, from "Tosca," "Un bel di," from Madame Butterfly," and "Pace," from "Masked Ball," this young and exceedingly promising soprano, created a marked impression. Her voice is infinitely pleasing, absolutely true in pitch, and quite beautiful in tone. Miss Howell, too, another promising soprano, sang most creditably. Her voice is of excellent quality, and both she and Miss Pottinger should go a long way in the sphere of their choice. Miss Howell gave "Ah, Non Giunge," from "Sonnambula," without any sense of effort or harshness. Mrs. Pinkerton sang the famous air "My Heart," from "Samson and Delila," with feeling and proportion. She has a contralto voice of genuinely good quality, and should become an attractive soloist. J. Dunn was another agreeable surprise. Here is a tenor voice, already possessed of evenness and purity, that one likes to hear, and for a student of only six months' study, much may be expected. He sang most effectively the belowed air "Then You'll Remember Me," from the "Bohemian Girl," giving much delight judging from the hearty applause of his listeners. He was also heard in the duet, "Home to Our Mountains," from "Trovatore," with Miss Howell. Another very pleasing number was the duet by Miss Howell and P. Ridgley, the latter having a fine baritone voice, which he used with discretion in his solo number "Il Balen," from "Trovatore." F. Smedley, a fine basso cantate revealed a voice of powerful quality. He showed musicianship too, in his solo "Vieni la mia Vendetta," from "Lucrezia Borgia." Mr. Moss, a new comer for one so young in song, has the markings of a coming basso. He has a very fine voice, remarkably resonant and of good range. He sings with instinctive feeling, and with further study and experience much may be expected of him. His "Di Provenza Il Mar," from "Traviata," was thoroughly enjoyed. J. J. Matheson, since last heard, has made great strides. He takes his art seriously, and is a singer of considerable attainments. He gave a capital interpretation of "Eri tu," from "Masked Ball."

Dr. Di Castri presided at the piano throughout the evening with skill and discretion. He deserves congratulations on a programme admirable and unusual.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women's Canadian Club garden party, Mrs. Butchart's, Wednesday, June 2, open to member and friends. Admission, including programme and tea, 50 cents. Tallyhos leave Cameron and Calwell, Government Street, at 2 and 2.30 p.m. Return fare, $1. ***

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Youth Convicted by Magistrate Jay Has Option of Punishment

Charged with the theft of an automobile tire and rim, from a car belonging to Thome B. Mathieson, on the night of May 2, James Carlos was sentenced by Magistrate Jay in the city police court this morning to pay a fine of $25 or serve a jail term of one month. G. H. Sedger appeared for the defendant.

Mr. Mathieson, called as a witness for the prosecution, placed a value of over $10 on his tire and rim, but the defence questioned this. Witness said he had left his automobile parked outside his home on Courtney Street at 6 o'clock on May 2. In the morning the tire was gone from the rear of his car. It had been his spare, he said. He later located what he thought was his tire on the rear of an automobile outside the Crystal Garden and informed the police. The tire was traced to Carlos, who was found guilty of the theft to-day.

Magistrate Jay gave the young man a severe warning before convicting him and said that in future he must watch his conduct or he would find himself in more serious trouble.

LATE H. N. HOWARD BURIED YESTERDAY

The remains of the late Henry Newton Howard were laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted at 3.30 at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Dean Quainton. There was a very large attendance, including delegations from the Civil Service, the Elks and the Sons of Canada. The hymn sung was "Nearer, My God, to Thee,' and Tom Kelway rendered a solo, the hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs A. N. Mouat, Dr. Young, A. Hood, H. Neville Wright, V. L. Denton and P. A. Raymond. Native Sons of Canada service at the graveside was conducted by Wor. President Bro. Stuart Robertson, assisted by Wor. Chaplain Bro. G. Hutchison.

MISS IRVING BURIED

Funeral service for the late Miss Florence M. Irving, who passed away in Seattle on Thursday, was held yesterday afternoon at 1.45 o'clock at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. F. Fatt. There was a large gathering of friends and many beautiful floral designs lovered the casket and hearse. The hymns sung were "Shall We Gather at the River" and "Just As I Am." The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: J. Robertson, H. Pickup, G. Robertson, A. Wilby, G. Mowat and J. Peterson. The body was laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

WILLS AN EASY WINNER

Cleveland, O., June 1.—Harry Wills, negro contender for Jack Dempsey's heavyweight title, had little trouble winning from Jeff Clark, Atlantic City veteran, in a six-round exhibition here last night. Although wearing twelve-ounce gloves Wills floored his opponent twice, and it was apparent he could have stopped him had he so desired.

How to Climb

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43 Operations

Beatrice McCrorry of Rushville, Ind., accidentally swallowed some lye and her throat swelled shut. Forty-three operations were performed to save her life. The first 42 were unsuccessful; the 43rd was better, and she'll live.

JUDGMENTS GIVEN BY APPEAL COURT

Decision on Fuel Oil Case Will Be Given Shortly

Appeal From Murder Sentence by Italian Longshoreman Heads List

Judgments in fourteen Vancouver Island and Vancouver cases heard at the Appeal Court sitting in Vancouver were handed down at the Court of Appeal sitting opening in Victoria to-day. Judgment on the fuel oil case, in which millions of dollars of B.C. revenue are involved, will be announced shortly, Chief Justice Macdonald intimated.

The court opened with twenty-five cases on the list and that of the appeal of Alex. Derbertoli, Italian longshoreman, against the death sentence for the murder of a woman of the underworld with whom he lived in Hogan's Alley, Vancouver, went to the head of the list. Derbertoli goes to the gallows at Oakalla next month if his appeal fails.

The judgments handed down this morning were:

Home Bank vs. Sullivan, appeal dismissed.

Attorney-General vs. Wilson, appeal dismissed, Mr. Justice Martin dissenting.

Ferguson vs. Taylor, appeal dismissed.

McFetridge vs. C.P.R., new trial. Chief Justice Macdonald would allow appeal.

Mines Operating Company vs. Horgan, appeal dismissed, Mr. Justice McPhillips dissenting.

Attorney-General vs. C.P.R. and Union Oil Company, to be announced shortly.

Sostad vs. Wilson, appeal dismissed.

Rex. vs. Thornton, appeal allowed, Mr. Justice Martin dissenting.

Rex. vs. Bagley, appeal dismissed, Chief Justice and Mr. Justice McPhillips dissenting.

Rogers vs. Nanaimo Motors, appeal dismissed, Mr. Justice Martin dissenting.

In re Low Hong Hing, appeal allowed.

Rex vs. Olney, appeal allowed, Mr. Justice Galliher dissenting.

Rex vs. Nozaki, appeal allowed, Mr. Justice Martin and Mr. Justice Galliher dissenting.

Jungo Ling, appeal dismissed.

THE CASES

Summaries of some of the cases on which judgment was given were:

Rex v. Jungo Lee—Jungo appeals against the judgment of Mr. Justice Morrison dismissing an application for release on the return of a summons in habeas corpus proceedings. Jungo was sentenced under the Opium and Narcotic Drugs Act.

In the case of Low Hing Hung the Crown appeals against the judgment of Mr. Justice Gregory. Hung claims to be a British born subject, claiming New Westminster as his birthplace. He was called before an inquiry by the immigration authorities and failing to satisfy them of his birthplace was order deported. Mr. Justice Gregory quashed the writ on the grounds of irregularity in the conduct of the proceedings.

J. W. Rogers, Ladysmith, respondent; Nanaimo Motors, defendant, appellant—Judge Barker in the Nanaimo County Court ordered the return to Rogers, a Ladysmith merchant, of a Ford coupe, purchased from the Nanaimo Motors Ltd., and damages, if any, for wrongful detention. The manager for the company took the car from the owners garage without permission, the company claiming that it was taken under a lien note.

Home Bank, plaintiff respondent; D. M. Sullivan, defendant appellant—D. M. Sullivan appealed against the judgment of Mr. Justice Gregory, that the Home Bank should recover $11,796 charging bad faith on the part of the bank in carrying on business while insolvent and after actual suspension. The Bank claimed $10,689.45 principle and interest on a bill of exchange.

Rex v Thornton—An appeal from the conviction by Mr. Justice D. A. MacDonald and a petit jury in the case of Heber A. Thornton, appellant prisoner, found guilty of obtaining $3,500 by false pretences from Erwin J. Miller, at the Vancouver Fall Assizes. The case was one involving a partnership agreement in the Fraser Valley Motor Express Company of Vancouver and liability on four motor trucks used in the business. The trial court granted a certificate that it was a fit case for appeal involving questions of fact on mixed fact and law. In the event of a new trial being ordered trial by a jury was sought.

Rex v. Isaburo Nozaki—Nozaki appealed from the conviction of Magistrate Shaw in the Vancouver Police Court in January and sentence to four months hard labor on a charge of converting to his own use money collected for Tamane Asokawa for whom he sold property in South Vancouver, while invested with the power of attorney.

Andrew Sostad, plaintiff and Martin Woldson, defendant appellant and American Savings Bank and Trust Company, third party respondent—was an appeal from the judgment of Mr. Justice Murphy in the Supreme Court in February. The Supreme Court judge awarded Sostad the right to collect $3,600 as his share of commission from Woldson on the sale of the outside group of mining claims of the Granby Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company.

Archibald McFetridge, plaintiff respondent and C.P.R. and Spokane International Railway Company, defendant appellant—An appeal from the judgment of Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald in the Supreme Court in Cranbrook in January, awarding McFetridge the sum of $1,500 and costs for personal injuries while a passenger on defendant's line. Negligence of the railway's servants and a defective system of transferring passengers were the basis of the claim. Plaintiff was injured during the shunting of cars in the C.P.R. yards at Yahk.

Rex, respondent v. Lilian Olney, appellant—An appeal from the judgment of His Honor Judge Grant, in the County Court of Vancouver, dismissing an appeal against a sentence of $200 or three months in default by W. M. Halliday, Justice of the Peace of Alert Bay.

DAMPNESS REPLACES DROUGHT AS MENACE TO PROVINCE'S CROP

Most Districts Report Fruit Ripening Retarded by Cold and Showers

After April drought had threatened serious damage to fruit and vegetable crops in many parts of British Columbia, cool, wet weather is giving farmers generally cause for apprehension now, according to the weekly news letter compiled by the Department of Agriculture.

The dampness is preventing the proper ripening of strawberries on Vancouver Island to some extent and on the mainland is causing the loss of berries in some places through rotting of the fruit on the plants. In the interior small fruits are suffering in the same way but tree fruits promise a satisfactory crop.

While strawberries are suffering from lack of sunshine and warmth, raspberries and blackberries are making rapid growth, reports from all districts show.

OKANAGAN PROSPECTS

The situation in the Okanagan country, where a large part of British Columbia's fruit crop is produced, is summarized by experts in their reports as follows:

"The growers are busy thinning the stone fruits. Most varieties of apples will be big enough by the beginning of the week for thinning.

"A few Purple Knight cherries are being shipped from Osoyoos, and a few Bings will be coming in shortly from there.

"At Oliver cut worms are doing considerable damage to the young cantaloupe plants, which will mean partially reseeding in a good many cases. Newly set out tomatoes are benefitting by the dull weather, and the plants are coming away with very little check.

"The orchards generally are looking well. Although there has been a somewhat heavier drop in apples than was expected, there still remains prospects of an excellent crop."

COURT DISMISSES BANDIT'S APPEAL

Chief Justice and Mr. Justice McPhillips Dissent

No Substantial Wrong Done Prisoner, Majority Decides

The appeal of William Bagley, Nanaimo bank bandit, against an eight-year sentence for his share in the Nanaimo bank robbery was dismissed in a judgment handed down by the Court of Appeal this morning with the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice McPhillips dissenting.

Fifteen grounds were set forth in Bagley's appeal against his sentence to eight years' imprisonment at the Nanaimo Assizes for his share in the Nanaimo bank robbery. The appeal claimed, among other things, misdirection to the jury by the trial judge, undue prolongation of the proceedings which lasted until midnight and lack of opportunity to secure proper defence.

Speaking to the appeal, Mr. Justice Martin said on behalf of the majority of the court judgment was being prepared and would be handed down very shortly. In the meantime they thought it desirable to say that judgment was based in the main on the grounds that Their Lordships were unable to say that any substantial wrong or miscarriage of justice had actually occurred. The only point they thought deserving of attention in their judgment to be prepared is that in connection with photographs and identification of accused therewith.

TWO DYING IN VANCOUVER; BULLETS FLEW

Vancouver, June 1—J. (Red) Smith and Mrs. M. Douglas, also known as Dorothy Davis, are in a hospital here in a dying condition as the result of a mysterious shooting affray in Mrs. Douglas's apartment on Granville Street at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Neighbors, hearing shots, called the police, who found the man lying in the kitchen with a bullet wound in the abdomen, and the woman crumpled up on the floor of the bedroom with a bullet wound near the heart.

Two automatic revolvers were found on the premises.

At 2.45 o'clock both were still living. Police announced they had learned that the woman shot Smith, telephoned for a doctor, and then used the gun on herself.

Sanity of Three Condemned Men Is to be Tested

Vancouver, June 1 — Whether Benito Pasquale and Alex de Bertoli, convicted murderers and sentenced to be hanged in Oakalla jail July 14, are sane, is to be determined for the Minister of Justice by Dr. Harvey Clare of Guelph, Ontario, mental specialist.

Dr Clare has arrived in Vancouver and will examine the prisoners.

Pat Hanley, whose execution has been appointed to take place in Oakalla jail August 2 for the murder of Nurse Mildred Neilson, will, it is anticipated, also be examined by the alienist, who formerly was a resident of New Westminster.

PROWLER PLUNGES THROUGH HEDGE IN RACE FOR FREEDOM

Police Fail to Locate Man Who Tried to Enter Victoria West Home

A mysterious prowler who tried to enter the home of Mrs. L. Hawke, 1020 Catherine Street, late last night, walked into what might have been a pretty trap and only just escaped with his freedom, according to residents of the dwelling he attempted to enter. Mrs. Hawke, who left her home last evening for a short time, reported the story to The Times this morning, as her two daughters had told it to her.

At 10.45 p.m. yesterday, while Mrs. Hawkes two daughters and her brother were at her home on Catherine Street, the sound of a person coming up the basement stairs startled the household. The lights were burning in several rooms of the dwelling. The prowler, finding the door at the top of the basement steps locked, and scenting trouble, made a hurried departure by jumping through the hedge, and while he was beating a retreat, Mr. Hawke, the only man in the place, was telephoning to the police station. The man apparently feared pursuit.

The prowler had plunged through the hedge when a dog had started barking in the yard, Mrs. Hawke said to-day. When she arrived home, about 11.15 o'clock last night, she found the hole in the hedge through which the man had crashed to the sidewalk, some feet below. He must have suffered a severe fall, Mrs. Hawke believes, but was not sufficiently injured to be delayed in his departure. When the police arrived on the scene to investigate, he was nowhere to be found.

He disappeared in the direction of the Canadian National Railways freight sheds, near Point Ellice, Mrs. Hawke said.

According to Mrs. Hawke, a mysterious individual has been spending a considerable amount of time in the vicinity of her home recently. She had not been alarmed, she said, but his attempted entrance to her premises last night has caused her some worry. She is sure, however, that he will not repeat his attempt to enter her home. She wished to warn other householders of the district to be on the alert to protect their property, she said to-day.

MAN AND WIFE LOST THEIR LIVES

Tacoma, June 1—John Maas, proprietor of a meat market, and his wife, Tena, were smothered to death and their bodies burned in a fire which destroyed their market at Green Park, Camp Lewis, near here, early to-day.

ITALIAN FIGHTS DEATH SENTENCE

Woman's Dying Statement Quoted in Appeal Court Hearing

The mental capacity of Pearl Prosser at the time she made her dying statement charging Alex. Derbertoli, Italian longshoreman, with inflicting the wounds which caused her death two months later, was questioned by J. W. de B. Farris, counsel for prisoner in the Appeal Court this morning.

The case headed the list when Chief Justice Macdonald, Mr. Justice Martin, Mr. Justice Galliher, Mr. Justice McPhillips and Mr. Justice H. A. Macdonald opened the June sitting in Victoria.

The appeal is from the judgment of Mr. Justice Murphy, who admitted the statement of the woman at the Vancouver Assizes, stating at the time that by doing so he made it subject to review by the Appeal Court.

Grounds of the appeal are that the conviction cannot be supported having regard to the evidence and that the judge wrongfully admitted the dying declaration.

J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., appears for Derbertoli, and A. B. Macdonald, K.C., for the Crown.

Prisoners Escape At Leavenworth

Leavenworth, Kas., June 1—Six prisoners, inmates of the disciplinary barracks at Fort Leavenworth, overpowered a guard this afternoon, took the guard's sawed-off shotgun and escaped.

GRAIN ACT DEBATE STARTS IN OTTAWA

Ottawa, June 1.—A sharp contest opened this morning in the Commons committee over the bill to amend the Canada Grain Act. Chairman Kay announced the opposing interests were the wheat pools and the grain trade. The object of the bill is to give the producers the right to determine the destination of their own grain and to restore the right in the original bill drafted by Judge Turgeon.

Two Men Drowned In Ottawa River

Ottawa, June 1—Word has been received here of the drowning in the Ottawa River yesterday near Calumet Island of Major Henry Scott of that district and Paul Bernier, a government translator of Ottawa. Joseph B. de la Tache, general librarian of Parliament, was rescued. Their canoe upset.

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VIOLENT DEATHS IN EASTERN CANADA

Ottawa, June 1.—The death toll from automobile accidents throughout Eastern Canada continues to mount.

Joseph Paisley of Toronto died in hospital at Orangeville, Ont., last night from injuries received Saturday when an automobile he was driving turned over in a ditch.

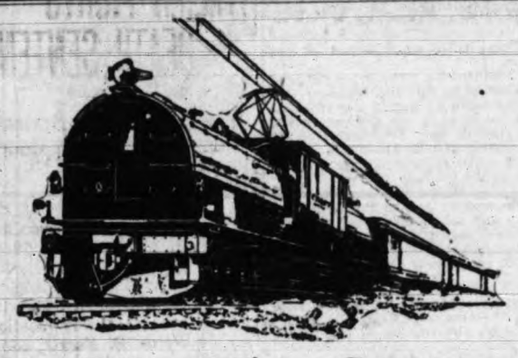
Jackie Holden, five, was fatally injured in Windsor, Ontario, when struck by an automobile as he was running across a street.

Other deaths yesterday included two suicides. John Woodley, seventy-eight, hanged himself in a hotel at Hall's Bridge, near Peterboro, Ont., where he was employed. Miss Rena Hazel, a clerk in Port Burwell, drowned herself in a river, and Charles Houghton, forty-five, of Elmer, Mich., cut his throat with a razor in his Toronto boarding house.

A. A. Snyder of Flint, Mich., was probably injured near Strathroy, Ontario, when his car went into a ditch.

He—Are you laughing with me or at me?

She—For you.



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U.S. President Eulogized War Dead in Speech at Arlington Cemetery

Washington, June 1. — At the Memorial Day exercises in the Arlington National Cemetery yesterday afternoon President Coolidge spoke as follows:

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"This nation approaches no ceremony with such universal sanction as that which is held in commemoration over the graves of those who have performed military duty. In our respect for the living and our reverence for the dead, in the unbounded treasure we have poured out in bounties, in the continual requiem service we have held, America at least has demonstrated that republics are not ungrateful. It is one of the glories of our country that so long as we remain faithful to the cause of justice and truth and liberty, this action will continue.

"We have waged no wars to determine a succession, establish a dynasty or glorify a reigning house. Our military operations have been for the service of the cause of humanity. The principles on which they have been fought have more and more come to be accepted as the ultimate standards of the world. They have been of an enduring substance, which is not weakened but only strengthened by the passage of time and the contemplation of reason.

FEW REMAIN

"While this day was legally established many years ago as an occasion to be devoted to the memory of our country's dead, it can not but express the sentiment of respect and honor in which our country holds their living comrades. Of those great armies that maintained the long struggle from 1861 to 1865, which ranked in size with any the world had ever before seen, but a few shattered ranks now remain. Their valor yet lives. The old devotion to country, the old loyalty to the flag, remain. But the youth and physical vigor which caused them to be characterized as the Boys in Blue are gone from these heroes of a former generation. . . . .

"As these old soldiers, the living descendants of the spirit of Washington who made our country, go down toward the setting sun, representing the spirit of Lincoln who saved our country, they will have the satisfaction of knowing they are leaving behind them the same spirit, still undaunted, still ready to maintain in the future a more abiding peace and a more abounding prosperity, under which America can continue to work for the salvation of the world."

Swindler Married Scores of Women

London, June 1. — The Evening Standard says information received at the criminal record office here indicates the man passing under the title of Lord Beaverbrook, arrested last week in Philadelphia, and a man named Alexander Gordon, alias J. J. King, who is wanted in London for alleged robbery and bigamy, are the same man.

Police allege Gordon married more than 100 women, from many of whom he obtained money, the paper asserts.

In 1923 he married two women in London within a few days of each other and disappeared with more than £5,000 worth of their jewelry, according to The Standard.

The paper goes on to say that police want Gordon in Berlin and Vienna on bigamy charges.

Chemainus

Special to The Times

Chemainus, June 1.—On the Chemainus Lawn Tennis Courts, Sunday, a most enjoyable tennis tournament was played between the President's (K. Tweedie) team and the Secretary's (H. N. Monk) team. The result was a tie each team making 96 points. The scores follow the President's team being mentioned first.

MEN'S DOUBLES—

K. Tweedie and A. Howe lost to B. Devitt and H. Monk, 5-7; V. Pritchard and C. McInnes lost to R. Gibbs and A. Jones, 5-7; K. Tweedie and A. Howe won from R. Gibbs and A. Jones, 7-5 and V. Pritchard and C. McInnes lost to B. Devitt and H. Monk, 3-9.

LADIES' DOUBLES—

Mrs. Gibbs and Miss Jones tied with Mrs. A. Jones and Mrs. Scott, 6-6; Mrs. Pritchard and Mrs. Devitt lost to Mrs. Mortimore and Mrs. Drury, 2-10; Mrs. Gibbs and Miss Jones won from Mrs. Mortimore and Mrs. Drury, 10-2; Mrs. Pritchard and Mrs. Devitt lost to Mrs. A. Jones and Mrs. Scott, 4-8.

MIXED DOUBLES—

Mrs. Gibbs and K. Tweedie won from Mrs. Scott and R. Gibbs, 9-3; Miss Jones and A. Howe won from Mrs. A. Jones and A. Jones, 8-4; Mrs. Devitt and Pritchard tied with Mrs. Drury and B. Devitt, 6-6; Mrs. Pritchard and C. McInnes won from Mrs. Mortimore and H. Monk, 7-5; Mrs. Gibbs and K. Tweedie tied with Mrs. A. Jones and A. Jones, 6-6; Miss Jones and A. Howe won from Mrs. Scott and R. Gibbs, 9-3; Mrs. Devitt and Pritchard lost to Mrs. Mortimore and H. Monk, 3-9 and Mrs. Pritchard and C. McInnes tied with Mrs. Drury and B. Devitt, 6-6.

On Sunday afternoon a big crowd of enthusiastic fans assembled on the diamond to witness the first game of the season the teams playing were the Commercial Travelers of Victoria and Chemainus team. The Chemainus city band assisted by members of Nanaimo and Ladysmith bands, played delightful musical selections all the afternoon. The game was closely contested all through and tied four all on the last innings, two more innings were played to decide who should be victors. Chemainus won the score being 5 to 4. Mr. G. Jacobson umpired the game.

Mrs. Dickenson from the west coast has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. H. Longrigg.

During last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. Knight included: Mr. and Mrs. Fearon Robinson, D. Dean and the Misses Jean, May and Evelyn Robinson, and Sydney Robinson.

FRUIT MOVES TO PRAIRIE MARKETS FROM FARMS IN SAANICH AREA THIS WEEK

Saanich strawberries will start for the Prairies to-morrow morning, and picking on the farms of Gordon Head and the Saanich Peninsula is now well under way, according to an announcement from R. S. Twining, secretary of the Gordon Head Fruitgrowers Association. To-day there were 600 crates in cold storage awaiting shipment and there were many more expected by this evening. There will be 750 crates in the first car for the Prairies.

The secretaries of both the Gordon Head and Saanich Fruitgrowers' Associations have estimated that the district will ship about 20 to 25 cars to the Prairies this year. This would mean an output from farms in the vicinity of Victoria of between 18,000 and 22,000 crates.

The second carload of fresh fruit moves out on Friday. Next week it will be a car a day from the southern end of the Island, according to the fruitgrowers.

HIGHER PRICES

After the prairie markets have been satisfied by this one car shipment daily, the remainder of the fruit will go to the local markets and to the jam factories. The price for jam berries is considerably higher this year than it has been previously, and the domestic strawberry will not go much below $3 a crate even at the peak of the season, it is estimated here. A good price is expected from the Prairies.

NEED SUNSHINE

At the present time the Saanich and Gordon Head berrygrowers are calling for sunshine and warmth. Unless they get a fair weather spell for the next few days their crops will be nothing like what were expected. As it is the berries this year are fewer and bid fair to be a rush season and a short one.

MORE RAIN FEARED

More rain may spoil the entire Vancouver Island strawberry crop. The farmers to-day are facing a crisis in the season. Rain would be ruinous, it is feared and the weather does not show any very encouraging aspects.

Berries were rotting on the vines on the mainland, it was learned here yesterday, in many parts, owing to the rains. Vancouver Island then has a responsibility to fulfill. The farmers must attend to the demands on the west for strawberries and they will have to work fast to supply these.

LOGANS RIPENING

Within the next two weeks logans will be on the local market and moving into the prairies and farther east, acording to the Saanich fruit men. For the first time in history, the two seasons will overlap. Strawberries and logans will be picked at the same time. It will be a time of strain and stress for the farmhands and shippers must be prepared for hectic effort while the rush days are with them.

In Keating no less than 500 pickers will be required. Nearly 300 will be wanted at Gordon Head. That makes a total of about 800 pickers who will swarm the patches of the rural districts. It is feared there may be a shortage of pickers and farmers are alarmed at the suggestion.

It is estimated that 200 tons of logans will come from Keating this year and some 125 tons from the Gordon Head area. This is a big increase over last year's crop, largely due to the greater quantity of vines set out for this season. The increase in total of production from both associations will be nearly 150 tons, it is believed.

Gooseberries are now at the peak of their season. Most of this fruit has gone to the jam manufacturers, and the yield of Gordon Head, where the majority of the crop is produced, is estimated as standing near ten tons.

Cherries are ripening quickly now and will shortly be ready for the market.

The soft fruit output this year, it is anticipated, will be heavy.

BIG FAIR OPENED AT PHILADELPHIA

Exposition Marks 150th Anniversary of Signing of Declaration of Independence

Philadelphia, June 1.—A warning that the United States stands in need of a moral and spiritual reawakening if it is to maintain its present position in the world and withstand the dangers that beset it, was sounded by Secretary of Commerce Hoover here.

In an address at the opening ceremonies of the Sesquicentennial International Exposition yesterday Mr. Hoover declared the dangers of the United States to-day were not economic or foreign, but "lie in the possible submergence of the moral and spiritual by our great material success."

Mr. Hoover reviewed at some length the many changes that have manifested themselves in the life of the nation since the Centennial Exposition was held here in 1876.

"This nation," he said, "has been greatly blessed by an Almighty Providence, and any recounting of these blessings must be addressed in gratitude to that guidance given our people."

KELLOGG SPOKE

Asserting the Sesquicentennial Exposition would represent, in its completion, the achievements of a virile and versatile people, Secretary of State Kellogg said the exposition should be considered a rededication of the nation to American ideals—"a fresh acceptance of America's burdens and a renewed gratitude for the bounty of America's blessings."

The Exposition is in celebration of the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

The exposition is to remain open till November.

Yesterday there was a parade three miles long.

ALASKA PIONEER KILLED ON ROAD

Fairbanks, June 1.—The death of Gustav Stenfedt, a pioneer of the gold fields of Northern Alaska, who had just returned to the country after fourteen years in the United States, was laid to-day to mention of the name of Tex Rickard, pugilistic promoter.

Rickard, formerly an Alaskan, was well known in old days to Stenfeldt and to his companion on a automobile ride Saturday night, Frank O'Farrell, superintendent of transportation for the Fairbanks Exploration Company. When O'Farrell mentioned Rickard, Stenfedt became exited and seized the arms of O'Farrel, who was driving. The car upset in a ditch and Stenfedt was killed.

The man killed was known in Alaska as "the Swedish Count" and was reported descended from nobility. He was associated in mining in the north with Dan Sutherland, Alaska, on delegate in Congress.

TWO AIRMEN WERE KILLED

Leavenworth, Kas., June 1.—Two mechanics in the air service detachment at Fort Leavenworth were killed and a third seriously injured when an aeroplane they had "borrowed" dopped into the Missouri River three miles from here late yesterday.

Italians Are Urged To Rise in Revolt

Venice, Italy, June 1.—Manifestos written in French, urging a military revolt in Italy, were discovered in the corridors of the Trieste Express upon its arrival here yesterday.

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STEEL WORKER LOST HIS LIFE

Vancouver, June 1.—Falling a considerable distance while working at a North Vancouver plant, Alexander Robert Allan, a structural steel worker, was fatally hurt last evening. The man was picked up unconscious and rushed to the North Vancouver General Hospital, where he died two hours after admittance. He suffered a fracture of the skull and other injuries.

THREE LOST LIVES

Sterling, Colo., June 1.—Three persons lost their lives in the North Sterling Reservoir yesterday. L. E. Pilger and his wife, Edna, died from fright or strangulation when their motor boat capsized, and Alex Diez, twelve, was drowned.

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GOOD WORK

ONE OF THE BEST INDICATIONS OF local progress is a report from the City Hall which shows that the municipal authorities, for the first time in the history of Victoria, have gone through the first five months of a year without calling upon the bank for a little temporary assistance. The prepayment of taxes has been largely responsible for this highly satisfactory state of affairs, no less a sum than $295,778 having been paid into the civic treasury by the close of business yesterday, as compared with the sum of $225,421 for the corresponding period of last year. It is also to be noted that during the five months ended with May 31, 1925, the city had borrowed $315,000 from its bankers. The net result of the tax-prepayment plan, therefore, speaks for itself and justifies its inauguration.

In the matter of bank clearings Victoria likewise has cause to congratulate itself. For the month of May the total works out at $9,473,115, as compared with $8,601,860 for the corresponding month a year ago. In fact steady progress has been made in this connection during the last six months and only in two weeks during that period was the return less than in the same week of the previous twelve months—and these were only small decreases. The full total for the half-year, December-May inclusive, reaches the satisfactory sum of $54,563,024, as compared with $47,090,087 for the six months from December 1, 1924, to May 31, 1925—an increase of $6,472,037. Add to this the fact that the value of building permits issued here from January 1 to May 31 exceeds the value of those issued for the corresponding months of 1925 by almost $126,000, and the picture of local progress is a bright one.

From the point of view of the country at large there are similar evidences of activity and growing business everywhere. In its semi-annual statement the Bank of Montreal points out that better trade conditions are reflected in Canada by the larger current loans. This gain in accommodation to customers is given as $16,000,000, while there is also noted an increase in saving deposit accounts from $608,851,114 to $632,412,514. Profits for the last six months, too, were larger, the statement declares.

It is of interest to add to these last week's bank clearings from the principal reporting centres of the Dominion:

	1926	1925
Halifax	$ 2,348,231	$ 2,319,000
Quebec	4,596,027	5,276,699
Montreal	93,933,741	75,540,980
Ottawa	4,693,560	4,146,659
Toronto	75,452,931	72,053,284
London	2,149,573	2,021,025
Windsor	3,529,583	2,689,227
Winnipeg	42,348,688	35,405,636
Regina	3,514,606	2,679,235
Calgary	5,398,797	4,438,737
Edmonton	3,797,522	3,638,262
New Westminster	782,369	495,327
Vancouver	15,334,173	12,502,537
Victoria	1,689,017	1,613,793

It will be seen that in every instance the business for the week which ended at noon on Thursday of last week was considerably greater than it was in the corresponding week of 1925.

THE CASE OF CAPT. PAMPHLET

GENERAL SATISFACTION WILL BE felt over the action of the Dominion Government in asking the Washington authorities to reconsider the case of Captain Robert Pamphlet. He was the skipper of the Pescawha which had been engaged in the rum running business from this coast to points south of the international border until it went to the assistance of an American vessel in distress within the forbidden twelve-mile limit. There it fell an easy prey to revenue officials and the sequel was a heavy fine and a sentence of two years in prison for Captain Pamphlet. Of course he knew the risk he ran in crossing that line; but he threw discretion to the winds and upheld the best traditions of the sea, saving lives under the most trying of circumstances. Admittedly the rum-running business is not a calling to be proud of; but condemnation in this particular case should be modified in the light of the heroic deed which the Pescawha's captain and crew performed. All will hope the United States Government will extend clemency at an early date.

MARKING TIME

GREAT BRITAIN SEEMS TO BE NO nearer a settlement of the dispute between the coal miners and the operators to-day than she was a month ago. Premier Baldwin made an offer of a subsidy of $15,000,000 and stipulated that it would have to be accepted by midnight yesterday. Neither party to the controversy has made any suggestions upon which new negotiations could be opened. Both seem to be marking time.

In the meantime Mr. Baldwin announces that the Government is reserving to itself the right to take what action it sees fit; but his statement in the House of Commons to this effect this afternoon gave no indication of the course he might take or when he might be expected to take it. This omission drew from former Premier MacDonald the charge that the Ministry had played into the hands of the owners by doing next to nothing towards a settlement since the general strike ended. The Opposition leader obviously had before him a mental picture of the distress which continued idleness is causing in all the coal mining districts of the country. In many parts the miners' family is going hungry. Soup kitchens have been established and women and children are dependent upon charity dispensed by local bodies. Strike funds have completely run out in some areas and in many others the individual pay cheque is negligible.

Nothing has developed so far to suggest that either side intends to give way. The men have signified their intention of going to almost any length, of suffering much further hardship, rather than submit to the conditions laid down by the owners before the strike commenced. They contend that if they agree to go back to work on a basis of longer hours and less pay, they will have voted to return to working conditions and standards of living which would put them back in the position in which they were before the revelations before the Sankey Commission a few years ago resulted in an improvement of their lot.

The unhappy sequel to continued stoppage of coal production is the gradual slowing down of industry all over the country. Already fuel is being rationed for industrial and domestic use and it would not be long before this condition would develop effects almost as serious in an economic sense as if the general strike were still on. Meanwhile the situation calls for heroic efforts on the part of the Government. It will have to hold the scales more evenly than ever if it wants to escape hard knocks from the general public.

JAYWALKING

THIS MORNING THE PEOPLE OF VANcouver were introduced to the operation of a clause in the Street Traffic by-law which is intended to put an end to jaywalking. This means that the pedestrian who wants to cross from one side of the street to the other in future must go to a regular intersection and refrain from using the highway in the middle of a block.

How the pedestrian in the Terminal City is going to take this regulation remains to be seen. The mayor says that the by-law must be observed. But he appears to be considerably less enthusiastic about it than he was, for he thinks that a proposal to eliminate the clause in question may be considered.

It is essential that every sort of reasonable provision be made in order to make the streets of large cities safe for all kinds of traffic. Accidents from various causes are altogether too numerous, and unless some means shall be found to deter both the motorist and the pedestrian from taking chances, they will increase rather than otherwise. But we doubt very much whether such an extreme course as that now being tried in Vancouver is a reasonable precaution. In any case it would be impossible to enforce the rule in residential sections. And any law that is uneven in its application is almost certain to fail in general.

Traffic regulations, apart from fundamental rules, must recognize the human element. The pedestrian half-way down Hastings Street, for instance, seeing an easy chance to cross from one side to the other in safety, will not feel inclined to walk to the end of the block and waste valuable time. Incidentally, it would be interesting to know how the courts would regard an appeal arising out of a case of damage caused by jaywalking.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

BLOCKS

From The Boston Globe

This country is ceasing to be a two-party affair and is becoming a nation of blocs. Election day promises to look more like a battle royal than a stand-up fight between two political parties.

TRADE AND POLITICS

From The Vancouver Sun

Unfortunately for British Columbia, our political representation at Ottawa and our trade necessities do not synchronize. There is some insidious germ in politics that makes a man forget his own country, his own people, his livelihood, his very bread and butter. This insidious germ has multiplied so thickly in Mr. Stevens's veins that he is trying to cut the props from the very treaties that are making British Columbia great and the industries of British Columbia rich.

A LIBERAL ESTIMATE

From The Ottawa Droit

The reduction of the tariff on motor cars can harm neither industry nor the country as a whole. The very reverse is true. The diminution in price will increase the demand, and in consequence will give more employment to Canadian workmen. Even supposing that the personnel of the factories is cut down, which will certainly not be the case, this cut would be largely counterbalanced by the increased number of agents and garage employees. More motor cars would be sold, more tyres, more gas, more parts; more repairs would be needed. There would also be necessary to increase the number of highways. The railways would similarly carry more machines, more tyres, more spare parts, more gas and so forth. In a word, it is as plain as a pikestaff that the reduction of the tariff on motor cars will increase the need of skilled labor and will be a stimulus to industry in general.

FRENCH IN THE WEST

From The Three Rivers Nouvelliste

(In spite of Government opposition, instruction in French has been maintained in Manitoba by the Association of Education.) So striking is the lesson which has been given by the French citizens of Manitoba that in the neighboring provinces, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the organization of our Manitoban brothers has been copied in detail. Another result of this fertile resistance is the manifest lesson which it has taught the governing body of Manitoba: the lesson of a will to survive, and a still more telling lesson for the English race, that they will survive against all odds. Gradually the idea is penetrating the brains of the leaders of Manitoba that they made a mistake when they thought themselves equal to the task of crushing all French instruction and more than one of them is now asking whether it would not be better to repeal the iniquitous law which prohibited the teaching of French in the schools of the Province.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

PRAISE FOR VICTORIA ARTISTS

To the Editor:—I should like to express, through your columns, my appreciation of the excellent work which has been presented to me during my visit to Victoria to conduct the practical examinations of Trinity College of Music (London). The standard of pianoforte playing, singing and elocution was as high as—probably higher than—that presented in any other part of Canada. It is most gratifying to an English examiner to find this state of affairs in what is a particularly English city.

I was asked the other day whether Trinity College of Music adopted a uniform standard of marking throughout the world. This is most certainly the case. I was examining recently in London and Manchester; still more recently I have conducted examinations throughout Canada, and now I am proceeding to New Zealand and (later) to Australia; but wherever I am, I am hearing the same groups of studies and pieces and marking by a single standard of work. Our small permanent examining staff visits over 600 centres and, during last year, examined over 70,000 candidates.

May these great arts of music and speech continue to flourish and flower in your beautiful city.

RONALD CHAMBERLAIN.
Visiting Examiner, B.A., Mus. Bac., F.R.C.O., A.R.A.M.

Strathcona Hotel, Victoria, B.C., May 31, 1926.

Do You Mean What You Say?

The Register and Tribune Syndicate, Des Moines

"UP TO SNUFF."

The expression "Up to Snuff" dates back to a former generation, when it was a common practice to take snuff in order to clear the brain, by sneezing, for concentrated thought. One who was "Up to Snuff," therefore, had a clear head, and was keen of mind. The same general application of the phrase exists to-day, when we consider one who is "Up to Snuff" to be alert and "on the job."

Canadian Questions and Answers

INCOME TAX YIELDS

Q.—What are the yields of the income tax?

A.—The gross amounts collected by the Dominion Income Tax Department since 1919 are: 1918-1919, $9,349,719.80; 1919-1920, $20,281,081.68; 1920-1921, $46,579,551.20; 1921-1922, $79,960,245.08; 1922-1923, $61,321,125.64; 1923-1924, $55,579,032.02; 1924-1925, $57,266,911.43.

JACQUES CARTIER MONUMENT

Q.—What monuments exist to the memory of Jacques Cartier?

A.—The first monument to Jacques Cartier, the discoverer of Canada, who landed in Quebec in 1534, will be unveiled on St. Jean Baptiste Day, the 24th of June next, in St. Roche, Que., where preliminary plans are now under way for the placing of the monument. Apart from a small wooden memorial plaque erected on the shore of the St. Charles River at the point where the intrepid discoverer landed, Jacques Cartier has never been honored in Quebec.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, June 1.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains low over the Interior and rain has been general in Western B.C. Light rains have occurred in Northern Saskatchewan and in Manitoba.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.17; temperature, maximum yesterday, 65; minimum, 52; wind, 24 miles W.; rain, .01; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .08; weather, fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 38; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 34; wind, calm; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 44; wind, 12 miles S.E.; rain, .84; weather, cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 48; wind, 8 miles W.; rain, .86; weather, cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 50; wind, 8 miles S.W.; rain, .24; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 74; minimum, 52; wind, 6 miles S.; rain, trace; weather, fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 82; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, clear.

Qu'Appelle — Temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 36; rain, .06.

Winnipeg — Temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 50; rain, trace.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	65	52
Vancouver	64	50
Penticton	78	..
Grand Forks	88	..
Nelson	71	..
Swift Current	56	38
Medicine Hat	68	40
Calgary	68	38
Edmonton	62	48
Toronto	80	52
Montreal	70	60
St. John	72	40
Halifax	62	38

SCOUT WORKERS IN CONFERENCE HERE

Visiting Commissioner, Sir Alfred Pickford, Leaves Encouraging Message

Sir Alfred Pickford of London, overseas commissioner of the Boy Scout organization, and John A. Stiles of Ottawa, assistant chief commissioner for Canada, were guests at a dinner given in their honor at the Dominion Hotel last night.

In an address scintillating with humor but replete with pithy material counted upon to arouse his hearers to new efforts and instill into them new determination, Sir Alfred won the admiration and friendship of his hosts. Scout masters and officials of the organization crowded the banquet hall and made Sir Alfred welcome.

GREAT RESPONSIBILITY

Throughout the overseas Dominions in the past three years the numbers of boy scouts had increased no less than twenty-two per cent, said the speaker, but he was looking for a greater growth and a development in another direction. The objects of the movement were tremendous things. Imperially, the scout movement had been felt and it had served to strengthen the ties between the young manhood of the Empire. Internationally, it was doing the same thing and this was its greatest endeavor. A body of no less than 4,000 British boy scouts had visited the continent of Europe last year and had traveled as far as Czechoslovakia. More would go this year, said Sir Alfred. This was a thing which would have a tendency to familiarize the youth of nations with each other, and, with the blessing of the League of Nations, which had pronounced the Boy Scout and Girl Guide movements as being for the advancement of world peace, the men who were behind the spreading of the scout movement should take renewed encouragement.

Dr. Griffin, an indefatigable scout worker, described the average scout as an iceberg. Not because he was a chilly person but for the reason that only one-sixteenth was visible. For this reason, he said, it might not be obvious what impression a scout master was making on his scouts, and it was well to remember therefore that all influences for good were being felt, although the result might be hidden beneath the surface.

URGES CO-OPERATION

John Stiles, who has been traveling with Sir Alfred, and who calls the commissioner "Pickie," spoke briefly last night. He called attention to the fact that scouts were organized for the purpose of "training in discipline, loyalty and good citizenship," under royal charter. He advised against scout organizations living too much for themselves. Goodwill was the keynote of good citizenship, he said, and they must be ready to co-operate at all times with anyone behind a good cause.

Mr. Stiles paid a compliment to Lord Byng of Vimy, Chief Scout for Canada, whose interest in the movement went farther than mere sympathy. Lord Byng was active in his support of the scouts.

A conference following the dinner was held by those present, and the visiting commissioner left behind him much valuable advice for the Victoria scout leaders.

Davis Cup Tennis

London, June 1.—The lawn tennis teams of South Africa and Sweden divided the singles in the first day's play of their quarter finals tie in the European zone Davis cup play. P. D. B. Spence of South Africa defeated O. Garrell of Sweden in the first match, 6-4, 8-6. In the second S. Malstrom of Sweden defeated G. R. Sherwell of South Africa, 8-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Montreal, June 1.—The final round of the American zone Davis Cup matches between the winner of the Japan-Philippines and the Canada-Cuba ties will be played at the Mount Royal Tennis Club some time in August, it is definitely announced. The date for the tie will be forthcoming in the near future. There is likely to be a meeting soon of the Canadian Lawn Tennis Association to decide on the team that Canada will send to Cuba for the first round tilt early in August.

Willard Crocker has not decided definitely whether he will be able to play or not. Jack Wright is expected to take his place as the other member of the team already chosen.

A BOUT FOR WILLS

Boston, June 1.—Jack Sharkey, New England heavyweight champion, and Harry Wills, negro contender for Dempsey's world's title, have been signed to meet in a Providence ring this Summer, it was announced last night.

John Tooney, Providence promoter, offered a purse of $200,000 for the bout, to be held at the Providence Cyclodrome, the two heavyweights to arrange for the splitting of the sum. Paddy Mullins, Wills' manager, telegraphed his consent from New York, and Johnny Buckley acceded in Sharkey's behalf.

No date has been set for the encounter.

CAN GETS MAIL

Pittsfield, Mass., May 30.—A container marked "Garbage" used to stand near a mail box here. In this various articles of mail and parcel post packages were deposited so often that the garbage box had to be moved.

LOWER DUTIES ON CATTLE ARE PLANNED

Government of Canada Ready to Reduce Charges if United States Will do so

Policy Announced by Motherwell During Debate in House of Commons

Ottawa, June 1—The Government of Canada is prepared to adopt a "brick-for-brick policy" with the United States in the reduction of duties on cattle.

This was announced in the House of Commons last night by Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, who said:

"Every step taken by the United States Government in the way of a reduction in the duty on Canadian cattle will be met with a corresponding reduction in the Canadian duty against United States cattle. We have a brick-for-brick policy. That is to say, every brick the United States takes off the tariff wall against us will be met with the removal of a corresponding brick from our tariff against United States cattle."

ORDER PASSED

Mr. Motherwell said an Order-in-Council had been passed by the Government during May. It recited the reciprocity offer contained in the Fielding budget of 1922, of reductions "as may be deemed reasonable" in the Canadian tariff on imports from the United States in return for reductions in the United States tariff on imports from Canada of cattle, wheat, wheat flour, oats, barley, potatoes, onions, turnips, hay and fish.

The order continued:

"And whereas, the time would seem to be opportune in so far as cattle are concerned for the taking of such action on the part of Canada as is possible, looking toward a freer exchange of agricultural products between the United States and the Dominion;

NEGOTIATIONS PLANNED

"Therefore, the Deputy of His Excellency, the Governor-General-in-Council, on the recommendation of the Minister of Agriculture, is pleased to authorize and does hereby authorize and instruct the Minister of Finance to take such action as may be necessary toward reduction of the duties on cattle entering Canada from the United States in the event of the United States reducing the duties on Canadian cattle entering their country, the reduction in the Canadian duties on cattle to be in the same proportion to the present duties as the reduction in the United States duties is to the present United States duty."

DEVELOPMENT DESIRED

Mr. Motherwell's announcement came during debate on a resolution moved by G. Coote, Progressive, Macleod, Alberta. The resolution proposed a special committee to examine into the cattle industry, with power to recommend measures which might further the development of that industry.

In view of the late date in the session at which the resolution had been introduced, Mr. Motherwell suggested it might be changed so as to refer the matter to the agriculture committee of the House or to a sub-committee of that committee.

Mr. Coote accepted the suggestion of the Minister and by the unanimous consent of the House the matter was referred to the committee on agriculture.

INCOME FALLS

Mr. Coote said the facts of the cattle industry would indicate the need of action. Revenues from farm animals had fallen from $194,000,000 in 1918 to $80,000,000 in 1923. The value per head of cattle in Canadian stockyards had fallen from $73.15 in 1920 to $43.90 in 1924. This was typical of the difficult times through which men in the cattle trade had passed. The value of exported cattle last year had been just half what it was in 1921.

CATTLE RAISING IMPORTANT

There had been a drop of approximately 400,000 head of cattle in the province of Alberta in the last five years, Mr. Coote said.

The raising of cattle was important to the Western farmers because it provided them with means for fertilizing land which was becoming poor. The growing of cattle required cultivation of grasses and clover and such cultivation enriched soil which had been devoted to the production of grain exclusively.

The raising of cattle at present was unprofitable, said Mr. Coote. Canada must export a large percentage of her cattle, her markets being the United States and Great Britain. From the United States this country was practically barred by a high tariff and also by excessive freight rates. Competition by Canada in the British market was made difficult by the excessive cost of getting Canadian cattle across the ocean.

TOLMIE'S VIEWS

Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Conservative, Victoria, supported the Coote resolution. Bigger development in livestock raising in Canada, he said, would go far to solve the problems of the farmer trying to grow wheat on poor soil. The best of Canadian beef had held its own with the product of any country and shipped as livestock it could not fail to hold its place in the world market. But, said the former Minister of Agriculture, there was a class of Canadian cattle which must be eliminated alike from the export trade and the home market. He described this type of stock as being "built for speed rather than beef."

Means must be found to transport the real Canadian cattle to the larger consuming markets.

One very important market which was often overlooked, said Dr. Tolmie, was the home market.

Improvement in the general quality of Canadian cattle, however, coupled with an intelligent fiscal policy to protect the home market, would do much to secure the Canadian breeders their rightful place in the home market, said Dr. Tolmie.

LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Col. H. A. Mullins, Conservative, Marquette, Manitoba, declared the cattle industry was most important. What Canada needed was reduced rates so her cattle could get into the British market.

Col. Mullins was opposed to Canada shipping dead meat. Her only hope was to continue in the livestock business, he said.

He spoke of the removal of the British cattle embargo. It was not entirely removed yet as Canadian cows were still excluded from the British market although Irish cows were admitted. This restriction should be removed, he said. Both countries, as Dominions, should be on the same footing."

OCEAN RATES

Mr. Motherwell said he hoped that "in the not too far distant future" the Government would be able to make another effort to secure reduced ocean cattle rates. It was difficult to obtain lower rates, however, when thirty per cent of the available space for cattle was not occupied on ships bound for Great Britain.

W. E. Maclean, South York, Ontario, briefly advocated consolidation of the railways of Canada as the solution of the farmers' complaints. This, he said, would reduce freight rates by one-third and solve most of the difficulties.

CLOSE VOTE

With fewer than half the members in the chamber during last night's session of the House a vote came on a motion to adjourn the debate on a private member's resolution. The division was 54 to 43, a majority of one for the Government.

The resolution under discussion, moved by Brig.-General A. E. Ross, Conservative, Kingston, Ont., advocated "the safeguarding of Canadian industries with respect to competition from other parts of the world."

When Gen. Ross had concluded his speech in support of the resolution, S. W. Jacobs, Liberal, Georges-Etienne Carter, Montreal, moved adjournment of the debate.

Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader, protested. He asked the House be permitted to record its view on the resolution.

Deputy-Speaker Duff, however, put the motion for adjournment and the division resulted as above.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe then moved adjournment of the House.

Mr. Meighen asked the Minister of Justice if he would not give an undertaking that an opportunity would be given before the close of the session for the House to divide on the question of protection.

ALREADY DISCUSSED

Mr. Lapointe replied that the question had already been discussed on a number of occasions.

Mr. Meighen said he would undertake that there would be no shaking from the Conservative side if a division was permitted.

Mr. Lapointe made no definite answer.

Liberals present in the House voted solidly in support of the adjournment motion. All the Progressives present, with the exception of Miss Agnes MacPhail and E. J. Garland, also favored the motion. Miss MacPhail and Mr. Garland voted with the Conservatives, who were solidly opposed. There were no members of the Labor or Independent groups in the House when the division took place.

Old Country Cricket

London, June 1 (Canadian Press cable)—Two matches in county cricket were finished yesterday.

At Colchester, Leicester inflicted on Essex their sixth defeat of the season.

At Stourbridge, Gloucester defeated Worcestershire by ten wickets.

Essex were all out in the first innings for 96 runs. In the second the total reached 184. Leicester had 277 in the first and obtained the necessary margin of four for no wickets down in the second.

At Stourbridge the scores were: Worcestershire 144, in the first tour at bat, and 135 in the second innings. Gloucester had 236 and in their second innings they closed the game at 45 with no wickets down.

London, June 1.—In the cricket test trial beginning at Lord's next Saturday between England versus The Rest, the line-up of the teams will be:

England—Carr, Nottingham, captain; Chapman and Woolley, Kent; Allen and Hendren, Middlesex; Hobbs and Strudwick, Surrey; Ttate, Sussex; Sutcliffe, Kilner and MacAulay, Yorkshire.

The Rest—Fonder, captain; Sandham and Shepperd, Surrey; Jupp, North Hants; Stevens and Hearne, Middlesex; Gideon, Sussex; Holmes, Yorkshire; Hallows, Lancashire; Larwood, Nottingham and another.

The North of England team, which will meet the Australians in a match beginning next Wednesday, will consist of Carr, captain; Jupp, Holmes, Sutcliffe, Hallows, Watson, Smith, Whysall, Larwood, Geary and Root, with Parsons as reserve man.

Philadelphia, June 1.—The Glen Riddle Challenge Cup, most coveted trophy competed for at the Devon horse show, returned to Canada for another year yesterday, when Sir Clifford Sifton's team of three hunters won it for the second successive time.

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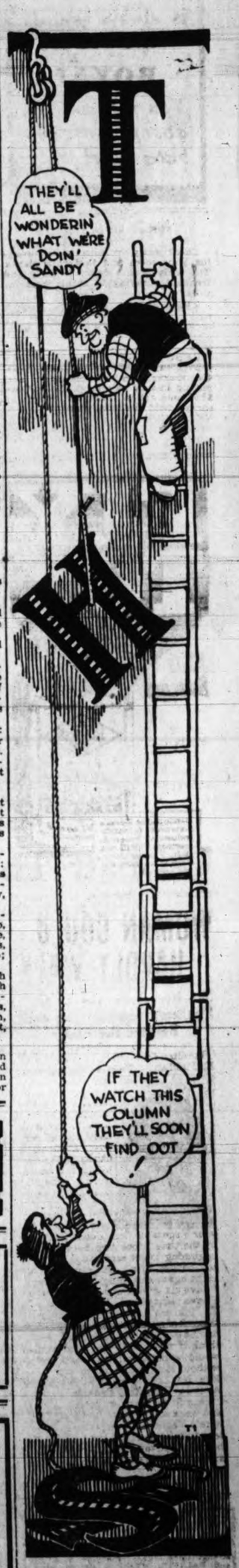

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BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's June Walk

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

One evening Uncle Wiggily saw lying on the front stoop of his hollow stump bungalow a white square of birch bark on which was written a little message in charcoal letters.

"To-morrow is the first of June," the writing said. "You are invited to go with us for a June walk on top of the Green Hill."

"Ha! That is very kind of somebody!" said Uncle Wiggily to himself when he had read the message, "but they forgot to sign any name. However, as it happens, I am very fond of June walks, so I will go on this one. And I don't need any one to tell me where Green Hill is. In the morning I shall go June walking. I suppose this came from Mr. Twistytail, the pig, or Uncle Butter, the goat."

Mr. Longears looked at the charcoal writing on the white birch bark again, but he could not be sure whose it was. And no wonder.

For it had been written by the sly, cunning, Fuzzy Fox. He and his friend the Wolf had left the note on Uncle Wiggily's steps.

"He will think it is from some of his friends," barked the Fox, "and he will come to Green Hill for a June walk, and we shall catch him."

"How?" snarled the Wolf.

"We'll be hiding in the bushes at the top of the hill," said the Fox with a chuckling laugh. "Oh, we'll catch him!"

But Uncle Wiggily knew nothing of this when, next day, he put on his best red necktie, and started out.

"Where are you going?" asked Mrs. Uncle Wiggily.

"For a June walk on top of Green Hill," answered her husband. "Do you want to come?"

"Thank you, no," was the answer. "The only June walking Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy and I will do will be around the kitchen, making a cake for dinner, so that you may have

He could not be sure whose writing it was.

something to eat when you come back from your adventure. But don't worry about me!" laughed Mrs. Uncle Wiggily. "I like to bake cakes for you!"

So Uncle Wiggily hopped away, but he had not been gone very long when up to his bungalow scampered Johnnie and Billie Bushytail, the squirrel boys.

"Where's Uncle Wiggily?" they chattered.

"He has gone for a June walk on Green Hill," squeaked Nurse Jane. "Some one left him an invitation last night. Perhaps it was you."

"Oh, no, we didn't do it," said Johnnie. Then the squirrels scampered off and to all the boy and girl animals whom they met they chattered: "Did you invite Uncle Wiggily for a June walk?" And when one and all had said they had not, and when Mr. Twistytail said he had not written the invitation, and when Uncle Butter denied it, then Baby Bunty cried:

"This is a trick of the Bad Chaps! They want to get Uncle Wiggily alone on Green Hill so they can nibble him! We must save Uncle Wiggily!"

"That's right!" shouted all the others. "We must save Uncle Wiggily!" and they hurried after him up Green Hill.

By this time the bunny gentleman was at the top, and, looking around, but seeing no one, he said:

"Who is coming on this June walk with me?"

"I am!" howled the Woozie Wolf.

"I am!" barked the Fuzzy Fox. "We invited you here!"

"But I don't want to go June walking with you!" said Uncle Wiggily.

"You must!" insisted the Fox, and he and the Wolf were just going to rush away to their dens with the bunny gentleman, when up the hill came hurrying forty 'leven animal children—puppy dogs, rabbits, squirrels, cats, ducks, guinea-pigs.

"We're coming to June walk with you, Uncle Wiggily!" cried the jolly youngsters. "We won't let the Bad Chaps get you!" and they threw so many sticks, stones and bunches of grass at the Fox and Wolf that the two tricky ones ran away, not to be seen again for a long time.

"Thank you, my dears! Thank you!" said the rabbit gentleman. And it was lucky he was rich, for he had to buy many lollypops on that June walk with the animal children. But it all happened for the best, and if the goldfish doesn't try to roller skate on the ceiling and drop water on the umbrella, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the burdock bush.

GIRL VICTIM OF MOTORCAR CRASH

Calgary, June 1.—Pitched from a motorcar, which turned a complete somersault into the ditch on the Macleod trail about a mile south of Turner Siding, Aileen Grainge, twelve-year-old daughter of Mrs. Effie Grainge of Calgary, was fatally injured.

Her baby brother, William, eighteen months, is in hospital with concussion of the brain and his condition is serious.

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Finn—No.

Catherine—Well, who scalped all the men in the front row?

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Displays of guide work will include a ceremonial march-past, flag drill, folk dancing, and games by the Guides, and singing, games and costume dances by the Brownies. Stalls of home cooking, needlework and arts and crafts will testify to the useful accomplishments which the movement encourages. Ice cream and candies will also be offered.

Among the side shows will be such old favorites as Aunt Sally, cocoanut shies, clock golf and a fish pond. A string of ponies will be at the disposal of youthful equestrians and will probably be one of the most popular features on the programme, so far as the youngsters are concerned.

Tea will be served in the rose garden and the Juvenile Pipe Band will provide music during the afternoon.

It is expected that, in addition to a large gathering of parents and friends of the Guides, many visitors to Victoria and the public generally, will take advantage of the opportunity offered to see the beautiful grounds of Government House, which are very charming in early June. No charge will be made for admission.

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This is a mistake. The premature baby seldom equals the normal child until it has attained five years of age. After that if its early feeding and care has been good, it should be of normal size and development and there will be no difference between it and other children of its age. But the baby of one or two years who was born one or two months premature will not approximate the normal child, and should not be expected to do so by its anxious mother.

The premature baby must be cared for differently than the normal child even if it is at sufficient strength to be kept out of an incubator. Its bodily heat is so low that it must be kept warm constantly by hot water bottles around it. If very small no effort should be made to dress it, as the baby's meager strength is dissipated by too much handling. It should be wrapped in cotton or lamb's wool and oiled once a day instead of bathed.

If possible, always it should be fed mother's milk and if it is too weak to nurse, the milk should be pressed from the breasts and given from a tiny bottle. The mother's breasts should be pumped regularly so that they will not cease to function and will be ready when the baby is strong enough to nurse.

Such a baby should be kept as quiet as possible and no strangers allowed in the room. It is best for one person to handle the child, and this as little as possible. The tiny body has little or no resistance against disease and persons with colds should be kept out of the room.

If the wee flame of life can be nursed along by these methods and the food proves digestible, there is every chance for the baby to live. When its age is approximately that of a new born babe it may then be treated as one, providing, of course, its weight is then up to the normal for a new born child.

It is sometimes almost miraculous the amount of upsets and illness these tiny mites can survive, but it is never safe to take the least chance with them.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL — WOMEN'S AFFAIRS — CLUB NEWS

AUSTRALIAN WOMEN SEND GREETINGS TO U.S. FEDERATION

Antipodes Represented at Big Club Convention in Atlantic City

Atlantic City, N.J., June 1.—Two separate greetings from the clubwomen of Australia and New Zealand were extended to the general convention of the American Federation of Women's Clubs yesterday.

A message from "500 British women of the Pioneer Club of Wellington whose interests are the same as those of the American Women" was presented by Miss Lyra Taylor of New Zealand.

"You salute the Stars and Stripes, your eyes to the Star-spangled Banner," she said. "We salute the Union Jack and stand for God Save the King, but our allegiance must be to something higher than any flag or any empire; it must be to the highest standards of internationalism; to the ideals of the world."

Miss Taylor's presence at the convention marks the first representation of New Zealand in the general federation.

Miss Taylor, a lawyer, is in America studying the juvenile court system. "I believe that women's contribution to law will come by way of the social aspect," she told the Associated Press. "It is up to them to make a special study of juvenile delinquency."

Bringing greetings from 50,000 housewives of Australia, Mrs. Portia Geach of Sydney addressed the convention as delegate from the Housewives' League.

"Started eight years ago on a principle similar to that of the federation's keystone, the home," she said, "the Housewives' League now numbers 50,000 and its work embraces a wide range of interests."

She told of the campaign to put across the whole wheat loaf of bread, based on the slogan, "The whiter the bread, the sooner you're dead." She praised the plan of the affiliation of club women in many different nations "to provide an internationalism of outlook."

C.G.I.T. Camp to Be Held at Beaver Lake in August

The Victoria Girls' Council held the last meeting for the season on May 29. Instead of the regular meeting at the Y.W.C.A., a picnic was held at Rescue Beach, Foul Bay. A jolly party of about thirty C.G.I.T. girls, with Miss Beall, sponsor for the council, partook of supper, after which a short meeting was held. Miss Beall announced that the C.G.I.T. camp would be held as usual at Beaver Lake, the date being August 2 to 11 inclusive. The camp director will be Miss Mildred Osterhout of Vancouver. When darkness fell the girls visited the Gonzales Observatory, by kind invitation of Superintendent Napier Denison, the equipment being explained to them in a most interesting manner.

Woman Killed in Automobile Race

Denver, Colo., June 1.—Mrs. J. A. Walker of Denver was killed yesterday when the automobile she was driving in a five-mile event at the Memorial Day racing programme at Overland Park overturned.

The woman entered the race as the "masked marvel." Her husband was entered in other racing events on the same card.

Local Girl Wins Elocution Medal at Musical Festival

Catherine Craig, of 2872 Inez Drive, Gorge, the winner of last year's elocution medal for girls up to fifteen years, has again carried off the medal in her class at the festival held in Vancouver yesterday. She is a pupil of Mrs. Wilfrid Ord of the Victoria School of Expression. Miss Craig is also holder of the Burns' Club gold medal for elocution.

Craigflower P.T.A.—Owing to the King's birthday on June 3, the usual meeting of the Craigflower Parent-Teacher Association will be held one week later.

DESERTED BABY NOW WARD OF ORPHANAGE

Little Arthur, the baby who was left on the steps of the Protestant Orphans' Home just one year ago, when he was only two weeks old, will be among those who will welcome visitors to the Home at Hillside on Thursday afternoon, the occasion of the annual Pound Party. Baby Arthur is a sturdy little chap and the picture speaks well for the excellent care given him at the Home, where everyone from the president, Mrs. Hiscocks, and the matron downward have done all in their power to offset the tragedy of his desertion, by bestowing on him loving care. Two weeks ago Baby Arthur celebrated his first birthday, when through the kindness of friends of the Orphanage the anniversary was made the occasion of a happy little party.

SOCIETY

Miss Wilma Carter left to-day for her home in Seattle after visiting the Misses Jessie and Maple Winterburn, Dallas Road.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Menkus, Princess Avenue, had as their guests over the week-end their son, Julian Menkus, and Morris Meyers of Seattle.

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Mrs. P. N. A. Smith of Los Angeles, formerly of Victoria, is the guest of Major and Mrs. P. F. Howden, Windsor Road.

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Mrs. E. B. Millar has returned to her home in Seattle after spending a few days in Victoria as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowell, Bellevue Apartments, Oak Bay.

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Mrs. H. Lindsay-Alexander and Miss Dorothy Gosse, of Prince Rupert, are visiting their parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. Gosse, Belleville Street.

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Miss Mildred Oliver, daughter of Premier and Mrs. John Oliver, left on Sunday for the Delta, where she will holiday for the next month at her father's farm.

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The many friends of Mr. A. Sposito will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at St. Joseph's Hospital, where he underwent an operation yesterday.

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The many friends of Mr. Ted Proctor, who has been a patient at the Duncan hospital, will be pleased to learn that he is now recuperating at his home on Carberry Gardens.

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Miss Dashwood, who has been the guest of Miss Lottie Bowron for the last week, left this morning for her home at Parksville, accompanied by Miss Finch Page, who will be her guest for a few days.

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Mrs. Arthur Robertson and Miss Grace Robertson, who have been spending the last six months in Southern California, returned to their home, "Orcades," Pemberton Road, yesterday.

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Mrs. J. S. Hume of San Francisco, who has been the guest of Mrs. Minna Briggs, South Turner Street, left yesterday for Seattle to spend a few days with friends. On her return to Victoria she will again be the guest of Mrs. Briggs.

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Major Le Febvre, of Pasadena, Cal., entertained at dinner last evening at the Empress Hotel before the "Student Prince" performance, when his guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Matson, Miss Vivien Matson, Miss Lucy Bryden, Miss Peggy McBride, Capt. McIntosh and Mr. Bauman.

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Major the Hon. J. A. Burden, C.M.G., Governor of British Honduras, Central America, and Mrs. Burden, who have been in Ottawa recently, have left for Toronto en route to Victoria, where Mrs. Burden will remain for the next six months. Major Burden will visit to his home after a short visit.

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Miss Violet Mackay, of Anyox, and Miss Priscilla Matheson, of Penticton, who were among the out-of-town guests at the Hamarstadt-Clayton wedding yesterday, returned last night to the Mainland.

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Mrs. J. W. Littleton, of Calgary, and small daughter, who have been visiting in Victoria and on Salt Spring Island, left on Saturday for Vancouver en route to their home in Alberta. On their way to Calgary they will visit relatives in Salmon Arm.

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Mrs. Hume Ackroyd, of Vancouver, who has been spending the last few weeks in Victoria as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Spacks, Windsor Road, Oak Bay, returned on Sunday to her home on the Mainland.

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Miss Dart and Miss McDougall, of Montreal, who have been spending the last two weeks in Victoria as the guests of Miss Helen Hart, Cook Street, will leave tomorrow for the Mainland en route to their respective homes in the East.

The Misses Jeanne and Florence Ives entertained at their home, Shaughnessy Heights, Vancouver, on Friday, with a tea and miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Agnes Burnet, whose marriage takes place early in June. The rooms were decorated in lavender and pink, the tea table being centred with a bowl of pink and white rosebuds. Miss Burnet received a daintily decorated basket which contained many beautiful gifts.

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Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid and other organizations of James Bay United Church a surprise party took control of the home of Rev. Leslie Best and Mrs. Best. The occasion was a presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Best of a purse of money before leaving for their new sphere of work at Fernie, B.C., where Mr. Best will take charge of the pastorate of the United Church. Mrs. C. M. Tait made the presentation, voicing the sentiment of deep affection all those present felt for the recipients, and W. Martin and J. W. Buckler in a few well-chosen remarks wished them Gods' blessing in their future activities. Refreshments were served, community songs were sung and the proceedings were concluded with "Auld Lang Syne" and "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

West Saanich Dance Thursday This Week

The weekly dance of the West Saanich Athletic Association has been changed to Thursday on account of Pitt's orchestra having an engagement on the regular date, Wednesday. It is the intention of the association to have strawberry socials in connection with their dances, commencing next Wednesday, June 9. Pitt's orchestra has been engaged for the next few occasions and some good times are looked for.

Big Liberal Social.—The Victoria Liberal Association social committee are making preparations for a large attendance at the monster five hundred and whist card party, which is to be held at their headquarters, Government and Broughton Streets, on Friday evening, June 4. Liberals from all parts of the city are invited to come and bring their friends to enjoy a social game of cards and meet old acquaintances. Good prizes will be given and refreshments served and a very pleasant evening spent by all.

Conservative Card Party—The regular Thursday evening programme carried out by the wards of the Conservative Association have given so much satisfaction in the past that it is intended to carry them on through the Summer at the rooms in the Campbell Building. On Thursday the Women's Liberal-Conservative organization have joined the Ward and will run a Military 500. With usual prizes. Mrs. Bowden, the president, will be in charge.

Camosun Chapter—At the monthly meeting of the Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., Dr. Talbot will give a talk on "Near East Relief Work" before the members of the Chapter, and any one interested is invited to hear him. The business meeting will commence at 2.30 and Dr. Talbot will speak at 3.30. The meeting will be held at the headquarters, Hamley Building.

Purple Star Social—Under the auspices of the Victoria Purple Star, Lodge No. 104, a card party will be held in the Orange Hall on Wednesday, June 2, at 8 p.m.

VELVET FLOUNCES

A frock of black crepe is given a very usual trimming by adding two very full and flaring flounces of black velvet.

LACE FOR AFTERNOON

The lace frock is worn for afternoon as well as evening—most frequently in the beige or red shades.

PRESENTATIONS TO PASTOR AND WIFE

Congregation of Metropolitan Bade Farewell to Rev. A. K. McMinn

The school room of Metropolitan Church was filled last evening by the many friends of Rev. and Mrs. A. K. McMinn, who gathered to say goodbye to them before they leave for their new field in Kelowna. The meeting was conducted by the Young People's department of the church, which presented a delightful programme of music followed by refreshments.

Rev. Dr. Sipprell presided over the gathering and Miss Mabel Humphries, Miss N. Collins, Miss Pegrum, and Miss Downard contributed pleasing musical numbers. Dr. Sipprell spoke in highest praise of the work and personal worth to the city and church of Mr. and Mrs. McMinn and expressed the regret of all present and many more that they felt the call to another field of labor. He then called upon Mrs. W. H. Ozard, who, in a most fitting address, presented Mrs. McMinn with a beautiful fruit bowl and a pair of candlesticks.

Wm. Crouch, on behalf of the brotherhood of the church, read a beautiful address to Mr. McMinn and presented him with a Duo-fold pen and pencil. Arthur Lee, on behalf of the officials and various organizations of the church, spoke in appropriate terms of the skill and merit of Mr. McMinn in bringing together the two congregations and of the excellent work he had done in the church and city while resident here. After this he presented to Mr. and Mrs. McMinn a well-filled purse. Mr. McMinn made a most gracious and appropriate reply.

Mr. and Mrs. McMinn leave to-day for Montreal and after a brief holiday in the East will go to Kelowna to undertake the pastorate of that important church.

Fine Programme At St. Alban's Hall Aids Church Funds

A most successful concert was held Friday evening at St. Alban's Hall to raise funds for the Sunday school picnic, Rev. R. W. Carroll of St. Luke's Church kindly acting as chairman. An excellent programme was much appreciated by a large and enthusiastic audience, each number being warmly applauded.

The programme included a violin duet by Masters Jack Grant and George Tate, followed by Puck's dance by Miss Betty Jennings, a pupil of Sefton College; a song by Mr. C. H. Simpson, "Tell Her I Love Her So," followed as an encore by "Three Jolly Sailor Boys;" Miss Lillian Young recited a selection from Sir Walter Scott's poem "Lady of the Lake," and as an encore "Cuddle Doon." The one act play, "Jealousy," by Dawson Milward, was very cleverly acted by Ella Pottinger and P. Edmond Corby, pupils of the B. C. Dramatic school. A toe dance by Miss Doreen Wilson, accompanied by Messrs. Corby and Holden on banjos; a song by Mrs. W. E. Birch, "Break of Dawn," and for an encore "I Wish I Were a Tiny Bird;" the Misses B. Jennings, R. Halet and P. Hall, pupils of Sefton College, in a pretty dance "The Woodland Nymphs;" Master Leighton Winter was heard to advantage in the songs "Among the Willows" and "Absent;" the banjo duets "No, No, Nanette," "Dream of Love" and "Show Me the Way to Go Home," by Messrs. Ted Corby and Fred Holden, drew unstinted applause. Another one act play, "Which Is It," by Bertha Moore, with Marion Corby and Leonard Phillips, also pupils of the B. C. Dramatic school, was greatly appreciated. A song by Mr. Locke, "Marguerite," who gave "The Holy City" as an encore, and a violin solo by Mrs. Ruby Moore, "Norwegian Song," who also obliged with an encore, brought a very successful evening to a close, the various numbers being ably accompanied on the piano by Mrs. C. H. Simpson of Malvern House school, and Mrs. Marion MacGovern.

Ladies Hold Men to Tie in New Style of Play at Oak Bay Club

The Victoria Golf Club ladies played a nine-a-side team match against the men at Oak Bay yesterday. By the conditions of the match each man gave his lady opponent nine strokes, and the result of the match was an even break, ach team taking 4½ points. Following the play the ladies were the guests of the men at dinner at the club. This is the first time a match of this kind has been played at the Victoria Golf Club. The results follow:

Mrs. Philbrick 0, Jack Matson 1.
Miss Sayward 1, A. T. Goward 0.
Mrs. Hutchinson 1, H. Paterson 0.
Mrs. Godfrey ½, T. O. Mackay ½.
Mrs. Rithet 1, L. H. Hardie 0.
Mrs. Lennox 0, J. D. Virtue 1.
Mrs. Gillespie 0, A. C. Watts-Jones 1.
Mrs. Ross 0, H. Davis 1.

VOGUE FOR RED

From Paris come reports that red, in the very dark and also the very high shades, is second in popularity after black and the combination of black and white.

WIDER BRIMS

A wider brim is being added to the smart felt hats by a famous French designer—sort of a union of the gigolo and the sailor.

THE DARK WRAP

The vogue for black is reflected in the number of black coats that are worn this season—often over gaily colored frocks.

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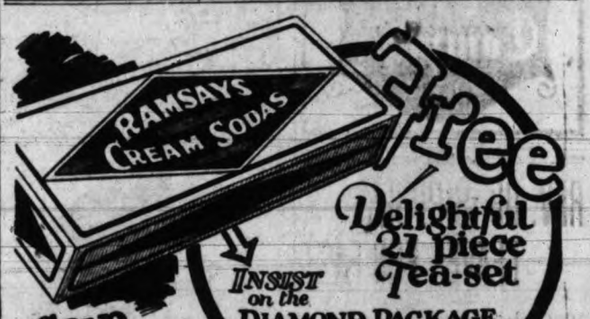

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GAGGED GIRL LEFT IN BURNING BANK

Saskatchewan Bank Robbery Followed by Fire; Clerk's Plight

Regina, June 1.—While the bank in which she was employed at Preeceville, seventy miles northwest of Yorkton, was burning behind her Miss Miss Emma Lindolum, bound hand and foot and gagged, she pushed herself along by working with her heels and collapsed outside the door, safe but senseless. There she was found four hours after she had bene dragged from her bed and made to walk down to the bank in night attire. The village had been aroused in the meantime by the signs of fire in the Bank of Toronto building and the fire brigade had mobilized to put it out.

Sunday morning at 3 o'clock or so, it is estimated, Miss Lindolum, sleeping in her room in a house half a block from the bank building, was rudely awakened and dragged out. Without any consideration or so, it is surmised, since the principal actor in the affair is not yet in a condition to make the actual facts known, she was forced to walk as she was, to the bank, open the door by, it is supposed, three men. Inside the bank they gagged and bound the girl and attempted to open the safe. Their attempts failed, and it is supposed that in endeavoring to blow the door, they left a smouldering fire. At all events they departed empty-handed, leaving the girl still helpless and tied on the floor.

While she attempted to work her way out the smouldering fire enlarged. Presently at around 7.30 the fire in the building became observed from outside and the plight of the girl was discovered. She was not fit and is not fit yet, to be questioned concerning the events, being under treatment.

Little was left of the bank building and much of the records were destroyed with the building.

Provincial police are working on the case but they have little to go upon since Miss Lindolum's important evidence is unavailable. It is thought that the attempt was made by persons who have lived in the vicinity and are aware of the customs and routine of the bank.

Hollywood Ladies' Aid—The usual monthly meeting of Hollywood Ladies' Aid will be held on Thursday, June 3, at 3 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Haugh, 1635 Pinewood Avenue.

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LIST OF DONATIONS TO SAVE CHILDREN FUND FOR MAY

Following is a list of the donations received by Fred Landsberg, treasurer for Save the Children Fund, during the month of May: Anon, $5; Friend of Miss Macklem, $25; A.H., $1; Emma Coigdarripe, $24; Miss Davis, $1; Lena Galt, $10; Muriel G. Galt, $10; A Friend, $20; Miss Duke, $1; Mrs. Cox, $5; Mrs. E. W. Morton-Mardell, $1; Miss C. Macklem, $7.15; Mrs. Paper, $2; Mrs. Anderson, 25 cents; Mrs. Tadell, $5; Miss Hening, $1; Miss Macklem, $10.25; St. Andrew's Presbyterian Sunday School, $16.50; Miss Homer, $5; Mr. Anderson, $1; N.F.B., $2; Sunshine Lodge College, $1.36; Miss Kenny, $5; Miss Sanders, $2; Radio, $10; Miss Fairweather, $5; Miss Macklem, $23.75; Miss Turner (sponsorship), $50.

Anyone wishing to contribute to this fund is asked to send same to F. Landsberg, 641 Fort Street, who will gratefully acknowledge receipt.

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CADET MARKSMEN SHATTER RECORDS FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Best Record of Trophies Won Established by This Year's Riflemen

Under the coaching of Major F. Richardson, O.B.E., a member of the Bisley team from Canada, the 112th Battalion of Victoria High School cadets has brought more trophies individually to the school than in any year previous, as was shown when these were presented in the school auditorium yesterday morning.

The following marksmen won silver cups in the Dominion Rifle Association competition this year: Capt. E. Simmons, Capt. B. A. Tobin, Capt. C. Nesbitt, Lieut. D'Arcy, Capt. N. Perry, Lieut. L. Nesbitt, Advance-corporal L. Bond, Cadet E. Beckett, Sergeant L. Wood and Cadet F. Harris.

WINS SECOND TIME

Capt. Perry for the second year in succession has won the Gold Medal for the best total score obtained during the year by an individual marksman.

Silver medals have been awarded to the following: Capt. Simmons, Capt. Tobin, Advance-Corporal C. Bond, Lieut. Nesbitt, Advance-corporal Beckett, Advance-corporal Smith, Sergeant Bong, and Cadet Harris.

Bronze medals were awarded to the following: Lieut. D'Arcy, Capt. Nesbitt, Cadet Tyrrell, Sergeant Wood, Capt. Windrum, Lieut. McQueen, Capt. Dorman, Cadet Denton, Sergeant Hill, Corporal Colby, Cadet Osman, Cadet Coulter, Cadet Murray, Sergeant Thorpe, Sergeant Parrott, Cadet Ford, Sergeant Robertson and Cadet Hall.

Champions of British Columbia in the Champion Marksmen Association to receive silver medals were announced as follows: Corporal Bong, Lieut. Nesbitt, Cadet Grant, Capt. Perry and Capt. Simmons.

Advance-corporal Wilkinson was presented with a shooting-bag trophy by the battalion for obtaining the highest score in a single competition during the year. His best points were 136 out of a possible 150, which is considered an excellent score on the range even for experienced riflemen.

GIVES ENCOURAGEMENT

Major Richardson, after presenting these trophies, gave a farewell speech to the battalion. Such good marksmen would always work to the front even under the greatest handicaps and with the greatest difficulties to surmount, he said. The school had made a splendid showing through its battalion's marksmen, he declared. He was watching the battalion, he asserted, and expected to see many of those who had showed ability already some day members of the Dominion's Bisley team of which he felt proud to be a member.

"I am going to England to compete in the classic rifle competition of the Empire," said Major Richardson, "but I will not forget that I have left behind me cadets who will some day bring further laurels to the Dominion with their shooting."

Major Richardson leaves for Bisley in a week's time.

H. H. Smith, principal of the Victoria High School, congratulated the battalion's marksmen and the man who had given them the benefit of his knowledge and experience, and trained them for work on the range in which few could equal them. Major Richardson had given generously of time and patience in training the cadet riflemen and for this work deserved high commendation, said Mr. Smith, amid the loud applause of the student body.

REV. DR. SIPPRELL LEAVES FOR EAST

Will Attend General Council of United Church in Montreal

Rev. Dr. Sipprell, Rev. A. K. McMinn, Mrs. McMinn and Mr. Arthur Lee leave to-day to attend the general council of the United Church, meeting in Montreal. Dr. Sipprell will return for June 27.

His pulpit will be supplied as follows: June 6, Rev. William Guy, M.A., B.D., and Charles Vickery of New York, secretary of the Near East Relief Fund; June 13, Rev. J. G. Brown, D.D., of Vancouver; June 20, Rev. Charles A. Williams, of Wesley Church, Vancouver.

The midweek service at Metropolitan this week will be conducted by Rev. Daniel Walker.

The Sunday school at Metropolitan will meet next Sunday and throughout the Summer at 12.15 p.m.

Power Bill is Given Approval

Ottawa, June 1.—Final reading was given by the House of Commons yesterday to the bill incorporating the Canadian Dexter P. Cooper Company. This is the company which proposes to develop electric power from the tidal waters of the Passamaquoddy Bay between Maine and New Brunswick. The bill now goes to the Senate for approval.

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TENDERS RECEIVED FOR MARKET CHANGE

Only Two Bids Reach City Council For Work of Altering Public Stalls

Two tenders for the renovation of the public market were received by the City Council last night. The bids were passed to the market committee and city purchasing agent for report. The Northern Electric Company was awarded a tender for the supply of light globes for the sum of $1,682.

TO CRUISE CITY SHAMBLES

The council made provision to spend all day Friday in a review of fifty-three buildings marked for demolition unless their owners show cause why the edict should not be carried into effect. The council must view the premises in person and hear complaints of the owners, the regulations provide. The mayor and council will gather at 9 a.m. Friday to start on the cruise.

Property at the northeast corner of Chester and McKenzie Streets was sold to the St. Andrews Kirk Athletic Club for the list price of $1,400, when the council ratified a city lands department sale to that effect. Tennis courts are to be constructed at the site, which otherwise might have remained long on the city's books, it was stated.

BY-LAWS ARE TABLED

In a busy agenda of routine affairs the council tabled the street traffic regulation by-law for further thought, and gave one week's noise to the lodging-house amendment by-law. Further attention should be given to construction and sanitation, as well as to the police precautions now emphasized in the new measure, declared Alderman Marchant in reference to the latter measure. The lodging-house by-law will be brought up again next week.

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Medium size aprons in shades of cerise, orchid and green. Ideal for kitchen or nursery wear. Special at, each 39c
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Half-day Specials in Women's and Children's Hosiery

Broken Assortments in Women's Hosiery at 59c a Pair
Consisting of outsize mercerized lisle hose with elastic ribbed tops, wide ribbed sports hose and cotton hose. Shown in white, black, sand, grey and brown. Not all sizes in each line, but all sizes in the lot; regular 75c and $1.00. Special at, per pair 59c

Children's Silk Lisle Hose 29c a Pair
In white with turn-down tops in red, navy, copen, and tan; also fine ribbed cotton hose with reinforced heels and toes, in white, brown and black; broken sizes; values to 60c. Special at, per pair 29c
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Laces and Embroideries at Big Savings

Laces
Including one-inch rayon silk in white, mauve, sky and yellow; art lace in white, cream and ecru, val. lace in dainty patterns and torchon lace; from 1 to 4½ inches wide; values to 35c. Special at, per yard ..... 19¢

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Supreme Balloon Cord, 29x4.40. Priced at $18.00
Supreme Balloon Cord, 31x4.40. Priced at $21.00
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Men's Bib and Pant Overalls $1.69

Made from heavy quality black denim, pant or bib style, double sewn throughout, all buttons rivetted on; all sizes. Special, per pair $1.69

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Medium and dark shade tweeds in smart one-piece styles, full lined with twill cotton; sizes 6½ to 7¼. Priced at 49c

Young Men's Athletic Combinations

Fine quality white nainsook undersuits cut good and roomy and ideal for Summer wear; sizes 34, 36, 38 and 40 only. Special at, per suit 69c
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Half-day Economies in the Drug Department

Henna Foam Shampoo; special at 47¢
Hinds Honey and Almond Cream, large size ..... 44¢
Cuticura Soap and Turknit Wash Cloth, 40c value ..... 33¢
Glycerine and Rose Water, 25c value, for ..... 18¢
Parrishes Chemical Food, 50c value, 37¢
Seidlitz Powders, 25c value ..... 17¢
Riga Purgative Water, each ..... 23¢
Kennedy's Tonic Bitters ..... 98¢
Horlicks Malted Milk, medium size, 89¢
Virol, large size; special at $1.33
Complexion Soap, 20c value, 2 for 27¢
Bathing Caps, each ..... 19¢
Rubber Bandanas, each ..... 69¢
La Belle Face Powder and Cold Cream, $1.40 value $1.10
—Drugs, Main Floor, H.B.C.

Specials for Smokers

Dunhills All Leather Tobacco Pouches, special at $3.29
Fancy Oil Skin Tobacco Pouches, special at ..... 87¢
Briar Pipes, 3 for $1.00
La Rose Cigars; box of 25 for $1.19
Benson Hedges Cigars, 15c value, 4 for ..... 45¢
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Youths' Double-breasted Suits at $14.95

Tailored from serviceable quality light and dark tweeds. Shown in English, double-breasted models. Full cut trousers with cuff bottoms, up-to-the-minute suit for young men; sizes 33 to 36. Price, each $14.95
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

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In neat stencilled designs; size 27x54, bound at edges. Each 50c
—Third Floor, H.B.C.

Fringed Tapestry Table Covers, $2.95

Made from good quality tapestry, in red and green, finished with fringe; size 68x74. Price, each $2.95

Crossbar Marquisette 19c a Yard

Of good, serviceable quality, in ivory shade, 36 inches. Suitable for making curtains for Summer cottage or kitchen. Special at, per yard 19c
—Third Floor, H.B.C.

Half-day Specials in Groceries

Travers Golden Pine Pineapple, slices, in syrup, per tin ..... 15¢
Raisin Bran, containing all the health qualities of bran, whole wheat and raisins. Per package ..... 20¢
Libby's Meats-wich Spread for sandwiches, etc. Per tin ..... 20¢
Weston's Fleur-de-Lis and Frou Frou Biscuits, per lb. ..... 60¢
Weston's Chocolate Vienna Biscuits, per lb. ..... 65¢
Noel and Sons Preserved Ginger, in syrup, per jar ..... 55¢

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Potato Salad, freshly made, per lb., 35¢

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California Valencia Oranges, 3 dozen for $1.00
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New Local Green Peas, 3 lbs. for 25¢
Finest New Potatoes, per lb. ..... 10¢
Fresh Strawberries Arriving Daily
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Ganges

Special to The Times

Ganges, June 1.—On Sunday afternoon a large crowd of interested spectators turned out to see the baseball game at Ganges baseball field, when Fulford played the Ganges team and won with a score of 13 to 4. A large number were up from Fulford. James N. Rogers was the umpire.

Rev. and Mrs. Miller, of Vancouver, spent the week-end with Mrs. J. Mouat.

Mrs. M. Fletcher, of Ganges, has returned to her home here after spending three weeks in Victoria on business.

Capt. V. C. Best has just completed a lot of work on his tennis court at his home "The Alders". The grass court is now in splendid condition.

The members of the Guild of Sunshine held a whist drive in the Mahon Hall on Friday evening. Mr. F. Speed was master of ceremonies. The winners were, first, ladies' prize, Mrs. Fletcher; first, gentleman's prize, Mr. Eric Nelson; ladies' consolation, Mrs. Walter Norton; gent's consolation, Mr. Wm. Palmer. Mrs. G. M. Mouat, Mrs. E. Parson and Mrs. E. Nelson were in charge of the tea. $30.00 was taken in.

The re-dedication services of the United Church of Canada (formerly the Methodist Church at Central) were held on Sunday morning. The church was prettily decorated with roses, ferns and other flowers. The little church was filled with members and friends who enjoyed the sermon preached by Rev. Miller, of Vancouver. Rev. Dean then spoke and thanked all those who had given of their time and money. He also thanked Mr. Tom Mouat, who had given the lot for the church, and was glad to say the debt for moving the church, etc., was nearly all cleared. Miss Dean sang a solo.

On Monday evening a thanksgiving meeting and programme was given in the United Church for all members and friends. Rev. Miller and Rev. Dean each gave short talks.

Mr. J. A. Bittancourt will leave Ganges on Wednesday for Dawson City, Y.T., where he will spend the Summer months. He expects to return to Ganges in the Fall.

Mr. Stanley Dean, of Saskatchewan, is visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Dean.

Rev. Father Sheelen, of Saanich, spent the week-end on Salt Spring, saying mass at Vesuvius Bay and Fulford.

Mr. H. Dunbar, of the Canadian Fisheries, in his launch, Colby, will probably make his headquarters at Ganges.

A scow load of ties were shipped from Ganges this week for Singer Lumber Co. Another Singer mill arrived and was taken up on top of the mountain to Mr. Ted Carter's place in the Cranberry district.

Guests at Harbor House include G. F. Publow, Victoria; D. Scott, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. W. Spur Thomson, Vancouver; Francis Lowther Crofton, No Man's Land; R. A. Story, Vancouver; H. E. Whyte, Victoria; H. Hobson, Esquimalt; Mr. and Mrs. Overland, Vancouver; John Leiper, Victoria; Hugh S. Green, "The Great Divide;" Mrs. Douglas Layton and Peter and John, Oak Bay.

Sooke

Special to The Times

Sooke, June 1.—The Sooke Conservative Club met on Saturday at the Sooke hall, to discuss business and elect officers.

There was a motion that the same officers who have been acting, should carry on. This was unanimously agreed upon and the meeting broke up early.

Mr. and Mrs. Wickens and family are returning to town, having spent some time in a house on the waterfront.

The Hon. H. Pooley, M.P.P., will give an address in the Sooke hall on June 12, followed by a social and dancing. All will be welcome.

Mrs. A. P. Rayment and family are spending a few days in Shawnigan.

Mrs. and Miss Lucas were week-end visitors in Sooke.

Miss Chambers and R. Snape are guests of Mrs. Philip Snape.

MacLEAN INSPECTS INTERIOR OFFICES ON HIS WAY EAST

Nelson, June 1.—Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Finance and Education, arriving from the boundary Saturday night, spent the week-end in Nelson, and inspected the Government offices here, and the old zinc plant the Government owns by reason of the large sums advanced for experimentation carried out by the French Complex Ore Reduction Company. He went up to Kaslo yesterday over the new Nelson-Kaslo road, and last night inspected the Government offices there. He left Kaslo in the morning for the Crow to inspect the offices at Cranbrook and Fernie. E. D. Johnson, Deputy Minister of Finance, is with Dr. MacLean.

After finishing with the Crow, which probably will include a trip to the mining town of Kimberley, the Minister will proceed to Ottawa to represent British Columbia at the conference of the provincial representatives.

GREAT TRAFFIC JAM IN CHICAGO REGION

Roads Crowded on Sunday and Memorial Day; Five Children Killed

Chicago, June 1.—The worst traffic jam in Chicago's history, according to highway officials, occurred yesterday when thousands of motorists out of the city for the two-day holiday started the trek back in a driving rain.

Northwestern highways into Wisconsin were blocked for fifty miles to the Wisconsin line, highway policemen said.

The traffic snarl resulted in many accidents, and five children were killed in and near Chicago in automobile accidents during the day and several persons were injured.

Yakima, Wash., June 1.—One boy was killed and four adults were badly hurt yesterday afternoon when a racing car driven by Ira Cook of Astoria, Ore., crashed through a fence at the Washington State Fair Grounds during the running of the annual Memorial Day race.

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H. F. ALEXANDER NOW AT SEATTLE

Pacific Steamship Company's Liner to Resume Service to California Ports

Seattle, June 3—Whistles of many ships in Seattle's harbor greeted the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's liner H. F. Alexander, when it arrived here yesterday from the Atlantic Coast, where last Winter she plied between New York and Miami, Fla. The vessel, which is the fastest ship on the Pacific Coast, resumes her old schedule between Seattle, San Francisco and Los Angeles Tuesday, sailing from here on every Tuesday after that.

With several hundred tons of freight, largely canned commodities from South European ports, the Italian motorship Felix, a new vessel on her maiden voyage, is expected here June 7.

TENDERS FOR REPAIRS TO DREDGE

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Repairs to Dredge No. 306 Mastodon," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon (daylight saving), Wednesday, May 19, 1926, for the docking, painting and repair of Dredge No. 306 Mastodon, now at Vancouver, B.C.

Specification and forms of tender can be obtained at this Department and at the office of the District Engineer, New Westminster, B.C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied by the Department, and in accordance with the conditions contained therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of the tender. Bonds of the Dominion of Canada and bonds of the Canadian National Railway Company will also be accepted as security, or bonds and a cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

By order,
S. E. O'BRIEN,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works.
Ottawa, April 28, 1926.

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

TAXES

Tax Statements have been mailed to all persons whose names appear on the Collector's Roll of the above Corporation. Any such persons who have not received a statement are requested to notify the undersigned.

To the Current Taxes unpaid on July 1 will be added 10 per cent. of the amount thereof.

G. H. PULLEN,
Collector of Taxes.

WHEREAS one Lawrence, formerly of 765 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., is indebted to Earl J. Parker in the sum of $48.00, for work done and material supplied in the alteration and improvement of the speed launch "Limit," and three months have elapsed since the said sum ought to have been paid, and default has been made in the payment thereof, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 15th day of June, 1926, at Parker's Garage, 354 Belleville Street, in the said City of Victoria, the said speed launch "Limit" will be sold by public auction, subject to a reserve bid.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 29th day of May, 1926.

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FISHING ON WEST COAST PLAYS IMPORTANT PART IN CITY'S COMMERCIAL GROWTH

Removal of Restriction on Industrial Exploitation of Pilchards Responsible for Establishment of Many Reduction Plants.

Developments on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, the increasing number of fish reduction plants, the growing output of herring curing plants, whaling and the increase in the salmon pack are noted by The Monetary Times, published in Toronto, in an article under the caption, "Victoria Growing Commercially."

The removal by the Dominion Government of the restriction on the industrial exploitation of pilchards has been responsible for the formation and operation of twenty fish reduction plants on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, while last year herring curing plants on the West Coast of Vancouver Island marketed no less than 18,672 tons of cured fish and advance orders for 1926 indicate as good if not better prospects, the article says. In 1925 501,909 gallons of fish oil and 2,137 tons of fish meal were manufactured in the same district, also 58,752 gallons of whale oil and 232 tons of whale meal and fertilizer. All products found a ready market. The total pack of salmon for 1925, all of which was sold, was 1,650 tons, being an increase over 1924 of 133,091 cases. Here again advance orders are good and prospects excellent.

The city of Victoria just now is without doubt one of the most beautiful spots in all Canada, or for that matter in the whole American continent. It is a city of contentment and one where there is real money, and people of money domiciled, the writer continues.

Business also is showing improvement. Victoria seems to be entering on the period of expansion and prosperity the approach of which has been apparent to business executives for some time. Reports from all business houses and factories are not only optimistic as to the immediate future but also record actual gains in business at the present time.

The B.C. Electric Railway Power and Light Company reports light customers 16,740 as against 16,404 in 1925; h.p. of industrial motors connected 31,931 as against 27,451 in 1925 and an increase in the consumption of gas this year of 2,552,000 cubic feet. The management also reports general outlook good.

The Sidney Rubber Roofing Company reports an increase in business of at least 25 per cent., while Yarrows shipbuilding and repair plant is at present busy and states that the general outlook is very good, while the Victoria Machinery Depot is experiencing a 25 per cent. increase in business as compared with 1925. Practically all the Victoria lumber companies took advantage of the annual shut down in January to install new machinery and in other ways increase the capacity of their plants. The lumber business reports outlook as good as 1925 and prospects good.

Vancouver Island timber is attracting more and more notice from the big lumber interests particularly those in the United States. Never a week has passed during the last twelve months but at least one party has come to the Island to look over timber limits on behalf of big buyers. The International Harvesters have entered this business by purchase of the pulp mill at Beaver Cove. It is stated that they intend re-organizing the plant and installing paper making machinery at a cost spread over three years, of some five or six million dollars. The Boedell Stewart and Welsh Company of Vancouver are now cutting at Campbell River. They are employing 1,200 men and expect to be cutting for from twenty to twenty-five years. The timber in this district alone is at least five billion feet. Big companies are also now operating at Great Central Lake, Sproat Lake, Cowichan Lake and in the Sooke and Port Renfrew districts. The lifting of the reserve on the Campbell River Falls (70,000 h.p.) making power available to any company ready to actually develop it is attracting attention to the wonderful water power available on Vancouver Island. This power is distributed all over the Island, is available throughout the year and is near to natural deep water harbors and in the heart of forests in which 127 billion feet of merchantable timber are growing.

SPOKEN BY WIRELESS

May 31, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

PAWLET, Gray's Harbor for Vancouver, thirty-four miles north of Gray's Harbor.

KAGA MARU, Yokohama for Victoria, 470 miles from Estevan.

ERVIKEN, 575 miles from Vancouver, inbound.

HAURAKI, 294 miles from Vancouver, inbound.

CANADIAN OBSERVER, 440 miles from Victoria, inbound.

UNDEN, Muroran for Victoria, 800 miles from Victoria.

REIYO MARU, Muroran for Gray's Harbor, 1,000 miles from Estevan.

BRITISH MONARCH, Yokohama for Vancouver, noon, 831 miles from Victoria.

BENREOCH, Yokohama for Vancouver, noon, 984 miles from Vancouver.

EMPRESS OF ASIA, Victoria for Yokohama, 1,833 miles from Victoria.

ALAMEDA, arriving Wrangel 3 a.m., southbound.

June 1, 8 a.m.—Weather:

Estevan—Cloudy; west, fresh; 30.22; 53; sea moderate.

Pachena—Overcast; northwest; 30.22; 53; sea moderate.

Alert Bay—Part cloudy; west, light; 30.22; 46; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Part cloudy; southeast, light; 29.92; 38; sea smooth.

PROVINCE LOSES ON SUCCESSION APPEAL

Appeal Court Upholds Supreme Court Judge on Tax Due

Personal property outside the Province of a British Columbia resident who died in Scotland was not liable for succession duty was the text of a ruling of the Court of Appeal in judgment handed down this morning, dismissing the appeal of the Attorney-General on this point. Mr. Justice Martin dissented.

The case before the court was:

Attorney-General, defendant appellant and Margaret Wilson, petition respondent; widow Aberdeen—An appeal from the judgment of Mr. Justice Morrison in the Supreme Court in which he ruled that only personal estate in British Columbia, belonging to the late Hector Wilson, formerly of Point Grey, who died in Scotland, to the value of $3,341.47, was liable to succession duty.

Personal property to the amount of $56,085.01 was also liable for succession duty, the Attorney-General claimed, the notice of appeal claiming that the judge erred in finding that the personal property was not subject to succession duty because deceased died outside the Province.

Mr. Justice Morrison ruled that because deceased had died outside the Province, the personal property in Scotland was not liable. The Province sought to collect $1,583.14 at the rate of 2-68 100 per cent. on $59,072.45. The judge agreed with petitioners that deceased's death having occurred in Scotland he could not be declared to be domiciled within the Province.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of June, 1926.

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunrise Min.	Sunset Hour	Sunset Min.
1	4	17	8	05
2	4	16	8	05
3	4	15	8	06
4	4	14	8	07
5	4	14	8	08
6	4	13	8	09
7	4	13	8	10
8	4	13	8	11
9	4	12	8	11
10	4	12	8	12
11	4	12	8	12
12	4	12	8	13
13	4	12	8	14
14	4	12	8	14
15	4	12	8	15
16	4	12	8	15
17	4	12	8	15
18	4	12	8	16
19	4	12	8	16
20	4	12	8	16
21	4	12	8	16
22	4	12	8	16
23	4	13	8	16
24	4	14	8	16
25	4	14	8	16
26	4	15	8	17
27	4	15	8	17
28	4	15	8	17
29	4	16	8	17
30	4	16	8	17

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Bratland at Montreal from Savannah.

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Manchester Corporation at Montreal from Manchester.

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Barquentine Hawaii Is Sold in Seattle For Lumber Trade

Seattle, June 1.—After lying idle more than four years in Lake Union, the four-masted steel barkentine Hawaii has been sold to Seattle interests represented by Robert C. Hill, Seattle ship broker. The purchase of the sailing vessel was made from Hind, Rolph & Company of San Francisco. Mr. Hill said to-day he was unable at this time to make public the identity of the purchasers of the barkentine or the service the vessel is to enter.

The Hawaii arrived in Seattle in February, 1922, from Port Allen, Hawaii, via Port Angeles. The vessel was built in 1900 in Dumbarton and formerly was owned by the Barkentine Hawaii Company. She is of 1,035 gross tons register, 206.2 feet long, 42.2 feet beam and 17.9 feet in depth. It was reported to-day that the interests represented by Mr. Hill will operate the vessel in the lumber trade from the North Pacific Coast to Australia.

P.S.N.C. Reduce Rates From Here To Port Angeles

Effective to-day the Puget Sound Navigation Company is reducing rates for automobile and passenger travel between Port Angeles and Victoria. These new fares will apply on the steamer Sol Duc sailing daily except Sunday between Victoria and Port Angeles.

When the ferry Olympic is put into service the new rates will also be effective on that vessel. The reduced scale of charges will hold good on the Sol Duc all Summer and on the Olympic from June 12 until September 12.

AMALGAMATION OF B.C. PILOTS IS NOW CONSUMMATED

B.C. Pilotage Association and Vancouver Pilots, Ltd., Pass Out of Existence To-day

Amalgamation of British Columbia pilots became an established fact to-day. The British Columbia Pilotage Association, along with the Vancouver Pilots Limited, cease to function, and in future will operate as one company under the name of the Federal Pilots of British Columbia Limited.

Capt. C. W. Wearmouth is president of the new body, while Capt. H. Shadforth, formerly with the Vancouver Pilots Limited, is secretary of the organization.

The Federal Pilots of British Columbia Limited will be run by a board of pilots and representatives of shipping interests. There will be no increase in pilotage fees.

Justice Morrison, in the Vancouver Supreme Court yesterday, ordered that the British Columbia Pilotage Association Limited be wound up, and His Honor appointed S. B. Smith, Vancouver, accountant, as liquidator.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

OCEAN VESSELS TO ARRIVE

Steamer	Master	Agent	From	Due
Kaga Maru		N.Y.K.	Orient	June 3
Tyndareus		Rithets	Orient	June 4
President Grant	Jensen	Admiral-O.	Orient	June 4
Arabia Maru	Yamaga	O.S.K.	Orient	June 8
Asuka Maru	Takano	N.Y.K.		June 9
Empress of Russia	Hosken	Admiral-O.	Orient	June 17
President Madison	Quinn	C.P.R.	Orient	June 14
Aorangi	Crawford	C.P.R.	Australia	June 25
Iyo Maru		N.Y.K.	Orient	June 26
Protesilaus		Rithets	Orient	June 27
President Jackson	Griffith	Admiral-O.	Orient	June 28
Africa Maru	Komiya	O.S.K.	Orient	June 29
Empress of Australia	Hailey	C.P.R.	Orient	June 30

OCEAN VESSELS TO SAIL

Steamer	Master	Agent	For	To Sail
Niagara	Showman	C.P.R.	Australia	June 2
President Jefferson	Nichols	Admiral-O.	Orient	June 3
Empress of Canada	Robinson	C.P.R.	Orient	June 10
President Grant	Jensen	Admiral-O.	Orient	June 15
Kaga Maru		N.Y.K.	Orient	June 17
Empress of Russia	Hosken	C.P.R.	Orient	June 24
Tyandareus		Rithets	Orient	June 24
President Madison	Quinn	Admiral-O.	Orient	June 27
Aorangi	Crawford	C.P.R.	Australia	June 30
Empress of Australia	Hailey	C.P.R.	Orient	July 8
President Jackson	Griffith	Admiral-O.	Orient	July 9
Protesilaus		Rithets	Orient	July 15
Africa Maru	Komiya	O.S.K.	Orient	July 16
Arabia Maru	Yamaga	O.S.K.	Orient	June 23

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter arrived Avonmouth May 25.

Canadian Highlander arrived Vancouver May 27.

Canadian Importer left Panama Canal for San Pedro, San Francisco, Seattle, Victoria and Vancouver May 17.

Canadian Pioneer left Quebec for Vancouver May 27.

Canadian Planter left Union Bay for Three Rivers, Sorel and Montreal May 25.

Canadian Prospector left Panama Canal for Gaspe, Quebec and Montreal May 18.

Canadian Ranger left Nanoose for Portsmouth, London and Antwerp May 10.

Canadian Seigneur left Norfolk for Devonport, London and Antwerp May 25.

Canadian Transporter sailed for Halifax, Avonmouth, Swansea, Liverpool, Garston and Glasgow May 12.

Canadian Winner arrived Gravesend May 7.

Canadian Skirmisher arrived Swansea May 24.

Canadian Coaster arrived Portland May 24.

Canadian Farmer left Astoria for San Pedro May 26.

Canadian Observer arrived San Francisco May 27.

Canadian Rover arrived Ocean Falls May 30.

TIDE TABLE

Day	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	ft.
1 ..	0.31	7.9	3.22	8.4	13.06	1.1	22.18	8.1
2 ..	1.08	7.5	4.14	7.7	13.55	1.8	22.26	8.2
3 ..	2.42	6.8	5.18	6.9	14.44	2.7	22.39	8.2
4 ..	4.59	5.9	8.48	6.0	15.34	3.6	22.57	8.2
5 ..	6.02	4.8	11.05	5.8	16.26	4.7	23.19	8.5
6 ..	6.49	3.8	12.58	6.0	17.20	5.6	23.42	8.7
7 ..	7.27	2.8	14.04	6.6	18.15	6.4	.. ..	..
8 ..	0.07	8.9	8.03	1.9	17.16	7.1	19.08	7.0
9 ..	0.32	9.1	8.38	1.3	18.11	7.6	19.54	7.5
10 ..	0.55	9.2	9.14	0.9	19.06	7.9	20.37	7.8
11 ..	1.15	9.1	9.52	0.7	20.04	8.1	21.24	8.0
12 ..	1.32	9.0	10.32	0.8	20.45	8.3	22.22	8.2
13 ..	1.45	8.8	11.13	1.1	21.20	8.3	23.39	8.3
14 ..	1.57	8.4	11.54	1.5	21.50	8.3	.. ..	..
15 ..	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	12.34	2.0	22.14	8.3
16 ..	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	13.12	2.6	22.21	8.3
17 ..	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	13.48	3.3	22.24	8.3
18 ..	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	14.21	4.0	22.34	8.2
19 ..	7.29	5.2	9.51	5.3	15.40	4.6	22.48	8.2
20 ..	6.52	4.6	11.36	5.4	14.31	5.2	23.06	8.3
21 ..	6.51	3.8	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	23.26	8.6
22 ..	7.19	2.9	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	23.47	8.9
23 ..	7.47	2.0	.. ..	..	.. ..	..	.. ..	..
24 ..	0.09	9.1	8.22	1.1	.. ..	..	.. ..	..
25 ..	0.32	9.4	8.59	0.5	.. ..	..	.. ..	..
26 ..	1.00	9.5	9.38	0.1	.. ..	..	.. ..	..
27 ..	1.33	9.5	10.19	0.0	20.21	7.9	22.01	7.8
28 ..	2.11	9.2	11.02	0.2	20.27	8.0	23.09	7.7
29 ..	2.54	8.6	11.47	0.7	20.36	8.1	.. ..	..
30 ..	0.28	7.4	3.45	7.9	12.34	1.5	20.51	8.2

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

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Canadian National: On Mondays and Thursdays from Vancouver at 8 p.m. for Stewart and Anyox.

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Prince Rupert Route

Union Steamships: Every Tuesday at 11 p.m. and every Friday at 9 p.m. from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

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Auto Ferries

Mill Bay Ferry bridging Island Highway at Malahat — Leaves Verdier Avenue, Brentwood, 7.30 a.m., 9.15 a.m., 11 a.m., 1.30 p.m., 3.15 p.m. and 5 p.m. Leaves Camp Point, Mill Bay, 8.30 a.m., 10.15 a.m., 12 noon, 2.30 p.m., 4.15 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route

Canadian National: Fortnightly service from Vancouver.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

June, 1926

China and Japan

President Jefferson—Mails close June 3, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 15, Shanghai June 20, Hongkong June 24.

Empress of Canada—Mails close June 10, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama June 21, Shanghai, June 25, Hongkong June 28.

President Grant—Mails close June 15, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama, June 27, Shanghai July 2, Hongkong July 6.

Kaga Maru—Mails close June 17, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama July 3.

Empress of Russia—Mails close June 24, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama July 5, Shanghai July 9, Hongkong July 12.

President Madison—Mails close June 27, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama July 9, Shanghai July 14, Hongkong July 18.

Tyndareus—Mails close July 1, 12 noon; due at Yokohama July 16.

Australia and New Zealand

Niagara—Mails close June 2, 6 p.m.; due at Auckland June 21, Sydney June 26.

Sierra (via San Francisco)—Mails close June 5, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney June 28.

Makura (via San Francisco)—Mails close June 12, 4 p.m.; due at Wellington July 5, Sydney July 10.

Sonoma (via San Francisco)—Mails close June 26, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney July 26.

Aorangi—Mails close June 30, 6 p.m.; due at Auckland July 19, Sydney July 24.

Sierra and Sonoma carry mails to Fiji and Australia only.

INQUIRY INTO STRANDING OF STEAMER PRINCESS ENA

Marine Investigation Being Conducted by Capt. J. D. Macpherson, Deputy to Dominion Wreck Commissioner; Capt. Henry Johnson, Master of Princess Ena, and William Thomson, Mate, Give Evidence.

To investigate the stranding of the Canadian Pacific coastwise freighter Princess Ena on Lowe Rock, Esperanza Inlet, on April 22, a marine court of inquiry sat in the Postoffice Building this morning, commencing at 10.30 o'clock. Capt. J. D. Macpherson, deputy to the Dominion Wreck Commissioner, is conducting the investigation, with Capt. M. F. Cutler and Capt. C. V. Kinney as assessors. The morning session concluded with the evidence of Capt. Henry Johnson, master of the Princess Ena, and William Thomson, first mate.

The first witness to take the stand was Capt. Henry Johnson, master of the Princess Ena at the time of the stranding. Capt. Johnson stated that he had had fifteen years' experience in British Columbia waters, all of this time being spent in the service of the Canadian Pacific B.C. Coastwise Service. During that time had seen service on all the routes, but had not had such experience on the West Coast. He had never been through Esperanza Inlet before.

Capt. Johnson stated that the Princess Ena left Victoria for Skagway on April 20. He had to make calls at Banfield and Esperanza Inlet. When he left Nootka the weather was clean although it had been raining hard and there was a light mist on the hills Capt. Johnson said. He took course through Esperanza Inlet because it was shorter by between 40 or 45 miles, Capt. Johnson testified. Capt. Johnson then told the court that he took the north channel because it was the route taken by the Princess Maguinna and also that three of his officers had claimed that they had never seen the middle channels used.

At the time of the mishap he was in the wheelhouse accompanied by Thompson, his first officer. A chart belonging to Capt. Johnston was then produced but it was found to be an old chart.

When asked by Capt. Macpherson as to the position of the rock which he hit, Capt. Johnson said it was shown on a government blueprint, which was then produced in court.

In describing the cause of the accident Capt. Johnson stated that the Ena, when abeam of some rock heaved on the swell and struck at 5.55 o'clock on the evening of April 22. At the time of the stranding the Ena was drawing seventeen feet of water, the Captain declared.

Capt. Johnson told the court that at the time the vessel struck, he believed that, his vessel had passed the sunken rock.

Capt. Johnson also stated that he had laid his course through Esperanza Inlet before passing through. In his mind the channel taken by the Ena was perfectly safe, Capt. Johnson declared.

"When the Ena struck the rock she bumped three times and then slid into deep water," Capt. Johnson declared. "I then turned the vessel around on the port helm and headed back," Capt. Johnson told the court.

In answer to a question by Capt. Macpherson Capt. Johnson stated that he realized the vessel was in a serious condition. He ordered full speed ahead taking his ship into Queen's Cove, where after finding a suitable spot the vessel was beached. He then sent a wireless message to Victoria and awaiting the arrival of the salvage vessel.

William Thomson, master mariner, and first officer of the Princess Ena then took the stand. He told the court that he had come to this coast twelve years ago from the Old Country where he had had considerable experience in the eastern trade from the United Kingdom. During his twelve years on this coast he had spent ten years with the Canadian Pacific and the remaining two with the Union Steamship Company of British Columbia, witness declared. He had had considerable experience in navigation on the West Coast, having been on the C.P.R. steamer Princess Maquinna for four months.

He was navigating the Princess Ena at the time of the mishap, witness declared. The first officer corroborated the story told by the captain.

Notice to Mariners

Vancouver Island, West Coast, Barkley Sound—Uncharted rocks:

Position: On south side of Pipestem Inlet, off small islet northeastward of Georgina Point. Latitude N. 40 deg. 01 min, longitude W. 125 deg. 19 min. The north end of Image Island in line with the south end of Refuge Island, bearing 290 deg. (S. 85 deg. W. mag.), leads over the rock. The westernmost peak of Black Mountain, bearing 41 deg. (N. 16 deg. E. mag.), marks the position of the rock. Description: The rock is about 50 feet long, parallel with the shore, with deep water off it at a short distance. It is not marked by kelp. Depth: Dries 3½ feet.

Position: 1¼ cables 210 deg. (S. 5 deg. W. mag.) from the south extreme of Refuge Island. Latitude N. 49 deg. 01 min., longitude W. 125 deg. 20 min. Depth: 4 feet. Remarks: Not marked by kelp.

Ship channel—Position: 4 cables 225 deg. (N. 60 deg. W. mag.) from the northern point of Double Islands, and 2 cables 202 deg. (S. 3 deg. E. mag.) from the eastern summit of Kelp Islet. Latitude N. 48 deg. 55 min., longitude W. 125 deg. 29½ min. Depth: Awash at low water. Bottom: Rock.

Position: 4 cables 253 deg. (S. 48 deg. W. mag.) from the northern point of Double Islands, and 6¾ cables 200 deg. (S. 5 deg. E. mag.) from the eastern summit of Kelp Islet. Depth: 3 fathoms. Remarks: This rock is steep-to on its northern side.

Entrance to Effingham Inlet—Position: 1½ cables 226 deg. (S. 21 W. mag.) from the south extreme of Palmer Point. Latitude N. 48 deg. 59 min., longitude W. 125 deg. 10 min. Depth: Dries one foot. Remarks: Rock bottom. There is deep water southward of the rock.

Note—Geographic position of the above are taken from Admiralty Chart No. 592 and are approximate only.

Tolmie Channel, Meyers Passage—Buoy established:

A wooden spar buoy, painted red, has been anchored to a rock which dries 4 feet, in the middle of the channel, about halfway through Meyers Passage. This passage lies between Princess Royal Island and Swindle Island. Approximate position: Latitude N. 52 deg. 37 min., longitude W. 128 deg. 41 min.

ADVICE ON CAMPING OUT

By Dr. HUGH S. CUMMING

FORGET your scramble for the world's wealth. You will carry none of it with you on the last trip you will take. Your business will not suffer. If you take a vacation you will be far better off and both you and your business will gain in the end provided your play time is used for the restoration of health and strength.

If you are camping out, pitch your tent at the top of a low ridge or on the summit of a knoll, with gently sloping sides. If possible, you should select a place where the soil is mixed sand and gravel.

A sandy, gravelly soil assures adequate draining. Trees are highly desirable about camps but all underbrush should be cleared away because it is frequently a shelter for mosquitoes.

Canvas tents are the best for a camping party. You should carry sufficient tentage to provide twenty square feet of floor space for each person. Ditch all the way around the tent to drain off any water which might get under the flaps or flooring. Wooden flooring raised a few inches above the earth is a great advantage.

The farther your camp is removed from human dwellings, stables and hog pens the freer it will be from flies. High ground, well drained, with no standing water anywhere near will be found to be fairly free from mosquitoes.

A pure water supply is absolutely essential. Unless you know positively that the water is pure boil it.

Babies Not the Only Ones Who Must Learn How to Walk

By DR. HUGH S. CUMMING

Ordinarily it is reserved for infants to learn to walk. However, there appears too an imminent need for adults to learn as well, for the increasing use of motor cars and other forms of rapid transportation has lessened the use of legs until there appears to be some danger of forgetting their function in the process of locomotion.

That walking is falling into disuse is greatly to be regretted for it is exercise, diversion and assistance in health maintenance.

Any doubt that may exist in one's mind as to the unpopularity of walking may be dispelled by noting the small number of pedestrians. On some popular boulevards few, if any, persons on foot are to be seen, while hundreds of motor cars hurtle by, their occupants lolling in their seats and gazing indolently upon the rapidly passing scenery.

With the advent of rapid individual transportation walking for pleasure has fallen largely into the discard. Even school children ride short distances to school when the trip could be made advantageously by walking. Children without means of transportation are acquiring the habit of spending fifteen or more minutes on a street corner soliciting rides when the same time expended in walking would enable them to reach school quickly and afford moderate exercise.

The failure of walking to achieve wider popularity is due largely to lack of appreciation of its advantages.

Walking is primarily recreational in character, for it offers changes of scene, which are not too rapid for assimilation and appreciation. To one who is observant there is a never failing variety of interesting occurrences and objects for observation.

For one who is deficient in powers of observation there is an excellent opportunity for sharpening the senses of perception.

No matter what may be the particular hobby of the walker, whether birds, trees, architecture, animals or automobiles, there is abundant opportunity for satisfying study of these subjects while taking a walk.

Walking has the disadvantage of being free. Most diversions on the other hand, cannot be indulged in without acquiring some apparatus or belonging to a special organization or club. Walking also has the misfortune of being a relatively mild exercise, offering little opportunity for competition.

The public seems most appreciative of things that may only be secured by effort and expense.

Swimming, rowing, golfing, tennis, gymnastic exercises and the like are recommended to those who can take advantage of them, but often are too strenuous.

Walking, on the other hand, requiring as it does only a willing spirit and a pair of legs, may be indulged in without special preparation and with the knowledge that the exercise will act beneficially.

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Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the chief engineer, Winnipeg, Man., until 12 o'clock noon Tuesday, June 15, 1926, for the following work:

1. Construction of a connection 2.97 miles long, between Canadian National Railway and Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, near Solomon, Alta.

2. Installation of twenty-two concrete culverts on Smithers division in British Columbia.

Plans, specifications and form of contract may be seen and form of tenders obtained at the office of chief engineer, Winnipeg; district engineers at Vancouver, Victoria, Edmonton and Saskatoon; division engineers at Prince Rupert, Calgary, Regina and Prince Albert, Canadian National Railways agent at Moose Jaw.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied by the railway company and accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank equal to five per cent of the value of the work payable to the order of the treasurer, Canadian National Railways.

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B.C. TO GO AFTER BIG SEED POTATO MARKET IN STATES

Potato Expert Going to California to Arrange For Heavy Importations

British Columbia will start in earnest this Summer to build up a large seed potato market in California, it was announced at the Department of Agriculture here to-day. To accomplish this result Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, is sending Cecil Tice, Provincial Government agronomist and potato expert, to California to arrange for the shipment of large quantities of seed potatoes there next Autumn. Mr. Tice will go south in about six weeks after attending meetings of Canadian seed growers in Quebec shortly and investigating potato methods used with success in the Maritime Provinces.

ARRANGE SHIPMENTS

British Columbia potato seed has definitely established itself in California as a result of experimnetal shipments there last year, according to officials of the agricultural department. The big Zuckerman potato interests, probably the largest growers of potatoes in Western America, imported large quantities of British Columbia seed last Fall, and this is growing successfully now. Other large growers are anxious to secure the northern seed, which adds great vitality to southern crops, and Mr. Tice will make arrangements with them for shipments this year.

In California Mr. Tice will visit not only the leading potato growers, but also state agronomists, who are anxious to see northern potatoes brought into the state to improve the strains already growing there.

BIG MARKET POSSIBLE

California can be developed into a market large enough to revolutionize potato growing in this Province, experts of the Department of Agriculture believe. This would put British Columbia in a position similar to that of the Maritime Provinces, which grow seed potatoes in enormous quantities for the growers of New England.

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WILL REPRESENT LOCAL KIWANIS AT BIG CONVENTION

Victoria Delegates Leave For Montreal to Attend International Conclave

The Victoria Kiwanis Club will be represented by five delegates at the international convention at Montreal, which opens next Sunday and concludes on Thursday, June 10. Dr. Howard Miller, district trustee, is already on the way East, having left last Saturday afternoon.

District Governor Kenneth Ferguson, Harold Diggon, Secretary Carl Stocker and Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson are the other Victoria delegates. Dr. Wilson will be attending another conference while in the East.

Dr. Miller is a past president and now a district trustee of the local branch of the organization.

The splendid programme arranged for the international convention includes speeches by the following prominent international figures: "North American Commerce and Industry," by Sir Henry Thornton, Canadian National Railways president; "World Peace and Justice," by Dr. Stephen S. Wise, Rabbi, Free Synagogue, New York City; "The Fundamental Principles of Vocational Guidance and Placement," by Dr. George J. Fisher, Deputy Chief Scout Executive, Boy Scouts of America; "The Influence of Motion Pictures in Our Everyday Life," by Mr. Carl M. Milliken, former Governor of Maine, and "Kiwanis—Public Opinion," by Rondolphe Lemieux, Speaker of the Canadian Parliament.

The annual election of officers will also take place while reports of committees on Kiwanis education, underprivileged children, agriculture, business standards, Harding memorial, and international, Canadian and American public affairs will be tabled at the convention.

SUTHERLAND TO RULE ON BRIDGE DISPUTE

Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, will issue a ruling tomorrow on the dispute between Richmond and South Vancouver over the cost of a new bridge joining the two municipalities and spanning the Fraser River, it was stated at the Public Works Department to-day. The Minister heard the views of the two municipalities on the question yesterday and is framing a decision on them to-day. It is expected he will order the replacement of the present damaged bridge by a modern viaduct and instruct the municipalities to bear the cost together.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

Mrs. Edith Fielding, of Vancouver, will lecture next Sunday on "America's To-morrow," under the auspices of the Victoria Theosophical Society, Independent.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

A smoker and concert will be held by the Victoria unit of the Army and Navy Veterans at headquarters on Thursday evening at 8.30 o'clock.

Members of the Lake Hill Community Centre will hold their regular monthly meeting in the hall on Friday evening next at 8.30 o'clock.

A supper meeting will be held at the Y.M.C.A. on Thursday night at 6.15 o'clock, when the election of officers will take place.

Jack Porter, fined $15 for driving to the common danger on May 28, told Magistrate Jay in the city police court this morning that he had been two hours late in his delivery work because of trouble with his engine, and for this reason had been driving faster than usual. The court treated him leniently.

May was wetter than the preceding months of 1926, the rainfall for the month being 1.85 inches or .84 above the average. The mean temperature for the month was 54 degrees, or two above average, May 12 being the hottest day with 82 degrees and May 5 and 6 the coldest with 42 degrees. There were 215 hours of sunshine, this being 53 hours less than usual for the month.

Harold A. White, charged with driving to the common danger, was fined $20 by Magistrate Jay in the city police court this morning. Accused said he was late for work and had hurried. Constable Peterson testified that the speed of the accused had sometimes exceeded thirty-five miles per hour. He had paced him several blocks, from the intersection of Fairfield Road and Moss Street, to the corner of Johnson and Cook Streets, said the officer. Magistrate Jay gave the driver a severe reprimand.

For keeping liquor for sale, J. Bower, Johnson Street, was fined $300 in the city police court to-day. Magistrate Jay, having remanded the case for judgment until this morning, passed sentence with the comment that he did not believe the story of the accused that the place where the liquor was found was nothing but a home, and that the stuff was not for sale. His Honor said that although the accused was given the benefit of the doubt as a rule, as Hr A. Maclean, K.C., counsel for the defendant pointed out, he had no doubt as to the guilt of the suspected person in this case.

A special session of the City School Board will be held at 8 p.m. to-day to consider amended plans for the new Oakland primary school contemplated. The architect, Percy Fox, will lay alternative plans before the board, slightly modified as the result of the initial conferences. The board is making headway with the selection of its choice and this evening is expected to determine definitely what type of structure will be built. Both sets of plans are well within the sum asked by the board, one estimated to cost $15,000 and the other $16,000 as an alternate choice, as against the $18,000 sought by the board to cover the new school.

Two of the city's oldest servants in their class are to be turned out of office after twenty-one and eighteen years work respectively. Jerry, twenty-one, and Bessie, eighteen, two horses used in the street repair section of the city engineer's department, are to be sold by order of the council in part trade for a younger animal. The combined cash value of Jerry and Bessie on the trade will be $150, the council was told; and this will almost, but not quite, buy one good horse in their place. Alderman Marchant said he thought a shoe-less life in a green pasture more fitting for servants who had served the city so long and uncomplainingly, but found no support for his sympathies at the council board.

June 3, the King's Birthday, being a statutory holiday, postal arrangements for that day will be restricted and will be as follows: Public lobby will be open as on ordinary week days. The general delivery, registration and postage stamp wickets will be open from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. Money order and savings bank wickets will be closed all day. There will be no letter carrier delivery. The noon and evening street letter box collections only will be made. All mails due to be dispatched will be made up as usual. Business men and others who desire to call for mail will be accommodated between the hours of 8.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. at the wicket in the Post Office box screen in the north part of the lobby of the office.

The Canadian Daughters' League Assembly No. 5 held their regular meeting in the Assembly Rooms, View Street, on Monday evening. A very interesting feature was the initiation of twelve new members brought in by the respective teams, also a splendid report brought back from the Grand Council in Vancouver by the President, Mrs. Ritchie. Mrs. Galbraith, historian for the past two years, read a most interesting report on the activities of Assembly No. 5 during that time. Arrangements are also being made for a joint social evening of Assembly No. 5 and Assembly No. 1 Native Sons of Canada on June 17. Any member, who knows of any cases of sickness or misfortunes, is asked to get in touch with the Sick Committee, Mrs. Edwards, telephone 245R.

Dempsey Ordered To Sign up For Fight With Wills

New York, June 1. — The New York State Athletic Commission to-day formally directed Jack Dempsey to sign articles not later than June 22 for the defence of his heavyweight championship against Harry Wills, negro challenger.

AMERICAN RIFLEMEN WIN

Bisley, June 1.—The New York National Guards Riflemen won the Vincent Shield to-day, defeating the Queen's Westminster and Civil Rifles by 1,700 to 1,601 points.

U.S. IS PARTICULAR

Washington, June 1. — The government is particular about stitches. A recent report, containg specifications for work done for the government, describes thirty-seven typical stitches, some of them employing as many as nine threads.

HOTEL LOBBY GOSSIP

DAKOTA BANKER APPRECIATES VICTORIA

What Alex. B. Taylor, a wealthy retired banker of Fargo, N.D., thinks of Victoria, is pretty well indicated by the fact that he has returned here this week with his wife and, at the Dominion Hotel, is spending his third holiday here in three years.

Mr. Taylor was born in London, Ontario. He came out to the Western states, made good and now that he has reached the region of three score years and that state of affluence and has the respect of his community, he is retiring from active management of his banking interests.

BACK TO FINANCIAL SANITY

"We like Victoria very much, that is why we have come this way on our trip back from California to North Dakota," Mrs. Taylor said this afternoon as she was making ready for a trip out into the country.

Banking and business conditions in North Dakota are now settling down after the radical spree of a few years ago, Mr. Taylor explained. At that time state banks were launched. Now the ultra-radical period is passing and the state generally is getting back to sound finance.

MORE AUTO-TOURING PARTIES

Automobile touring parties are becoming more numerous around the hotels. Among the motor touring parties at the Dominion Hotel to-day are those of Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnson of Oregon, Mrs. Wyatt H. Allen of San Francisco, Mrs. G. B. Story of San Francisco, Mrs. Ralph Boyker of Seattle and Dr. F. Lash of Seattle, who is over on a lecturing trip.

An interesting little visitor here to-day is Madame J. U. Bal of Paris, France, who is on a tour around United States and Canada to see what this part of the English-speaking world is like. She arrived at the Dominion Hotel from the South yesterday and is going on East through Canada this afternoon to sail from Montreal for her home.

VANCOUVER PEOPLE HERE

Among the Vancouver business and professional men who crossed over this morning from the mainland and are at the Empress Hotel are D. E. McTaggart, who has Mrs. McTaggart with him, W. R. Lord, M. D. Otty, Sydney Wilson, J. A. Russell, R. B. Mattson, R. A. Falconer, J. S. Lee, J. E. McMullen, D. J. Hutchinson and S. F. Creelman.

Paul Harrison, M.P.P. for Comox, is down from Cumberland on public business for his constituency and is at the Empress Hotel.

John Butler, G.W.V.A. official, has arrived from Ottawa and is at the Dominion Hotel. From Galt, Ont., is W. G. Fallen, who is at the Empress Hotel.

J. T. Bond, operator of one of the big ranches in the Douglas Lake district, arrived here this morning with his wife and family for a holiday at the Hotel Strathcona.

ISLAND FOLK IN TOWN

Among the Island people in town to-day are W. Brooks of Duncan, E. R. Corfield and A. B. A. Corfield of Duncan, J. R. Edwards of Port Alberni, Ed. Severson of Cowichan Bay, who are at the Dominion Hotel; Mrs. G. B. Benson of Ganges, Mr. McGuiness of Thetis Island, Mrs. Spencer Percival of Port Washington, Capt. J. Mitchell of Ganges, who are at the Hotel Strathcona.

Mrs. James C. Gill of North Vancouver came over yesterday and went up the Island this morning by motor to visit friends in the Cowichan district.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Chambers of Vancouver are also here, staying at the Dominion Hotel.

From Calgary at the Dominion Hotel are B. H. Wodell and family. At the Hotel Strathcona are A. L. Landon of Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Masters of Vancouver.

SUPREME COURT TO SETTLE SCHOOL ISSUE

Federal Government Places Alberta Problem Before the Highest Court in Canada

Ottawa, June 1.—Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, announced in the House this afternoon that the Department of Justice had in hand a reference of the Alberta school question to the Supreme Court of Canada.

"I believe this solution is fair to all parties and I earnestly hope this delicate question will in this way be settled definitely and removed forever from the field of controversy," said Mr. Lapointe.

The Minister said the amendment made by the Legislature of Alberta, "without our consent," to the Natural Resources Bill, suggested the laws of the province might differ from or be in conflict with Section 17 of the Alberta Act. Otherwise, the amendment would be useless and futile.

The Alberta Act had stood as the constitution of the province for twenty-one years, said the Minister.

"We can not directly or indirectly, even in a tacit manner, acknowledge its validity might be subject to question," added Mr. Lapointe. "However, the Federal Government is prepared to take immediate steps for a reference to the Supreme Court. We will submit the act and support its validity and give an opportunity to those who question it to present their views," Mr. Lapointe said.

The question to be settled is the raising and handling of taxes for school purposes, particularly affecting the separate schools.

PAYMENT TO COAL MINERS

Nanaimo, June 1.—The Nanoose Wellington Collieries Ltd., operating at Lantzville, which is some $15,000 behind in its payroll, for which amount the miners filed liens against the company on May 18, will, according to the management, pay fifty per cent. of the money owing at once, and the balance will be forthcoming when the properties are disposed of.

PASTOR DIED

Regina, June 1—Rev. C. B. Ross, United Church minister at Silton, died yesterday of influenza. He had been a minister in the Presbyterian Church for forty years and held pastorates in Ontario for twenty-five years before coming to Saskatchewan in 1909.

FIVE NEWSPAPER MEN ARE JAILED

Managing Editor, One of Them, Fined $5,000 For Contempt of Court

Baltimore, Md., June 1.—Managing Editor Harold E. Elliston of The Baltimore News fo-day was sentenced to one day in jail and fined $5,000 by Criminal Judge Eugene O'Dunne for contempt of court in the publication of courtroom pictures of the Richard Reese Whittemore murder trial of May 21.

City Editor Harry Clarke of The News, Managing Editor Earl C. Deland of The Baltimore American and William Klemm and William Sturmm, photographers for the two newspapers, each were sentenced to one day in jail, with no fines.

Counsel for the newspapermen filed notice of appeal and Judge O'Dunne admitted them to bail.

Portland Golfer is One Stroke Ahead in Oregon Tournament

Portland, Ore., June 1.—With the third 18 holes of the 72-hole Oregon State open golf championship tournament played at the Portland Golf Club this morning out of the play, John Junior, professional of the Portland Golf Club, was leading with a score of 213 for the 54 holes. The remaining 18 holes were being played this afternoon.

Johnny Jones, Seattle, and Bert Wilde, Bellingham, both professionals, were tied for second place, each having made a 214. Phil Taylor of Victoria turned in a card of 225.

Dr. O. F. Willing, of Waverly Country Club, was leading the amateurs with a 215. Frank Dolph, present Oregon State amateur champion, Alderwood, and Mel Smith, Waverly (pro) each had 216. Abe Espinosa, San Francisco pro, had 218.

Amateurs playing in the open tournament will be permitted to use their scores in the qualifying round of the Oregon State amateur championship which started this morning at the Waverly Course.

TO-DAY'S SPORTING RESULTS

To-day's Sporting Results up to Time of Going to Press

DRAW ANNOUNCED FOR WALKER CUP MATCH TO-MORROW

St. Andrew's, Scotland, June 1.—The British Walker Cup team which will oppose the United States team here to-morrow, was announded to-day:

Roger Wethered, Sir Ernest Holderness, Cyril Tolley, A. Jamieson Jr., C. C. Hezlett, Robert Harris, W. C. Brownlow and E. F. Storey.

To-morrow's Walter Cup matches pairings:

Two-ball foursomes—Francis Ouimet and Jess Guilford vs. Wethered and Holderness.
Jess Sweetser and George von Elm vs. Harris and Hezlett.
Bobby Jones and Watts Gunn vs. Tolley and Jamieson.
Gardiner and Roland Mackenzie vs. Storey and Brownlow.

Thursday's singles:

Jones vs. Tolley.
Sweetser vs. Holderness.
Quimet vs. Wethered.
Von Elm vs. Hezlett.
Guilford vs. Harris.
Gunn vs. Brownlow.
Mackenzie vs. Storey.
Gardiner vs. Jamieson.

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia-Boston game postponed—rain.

Washington-New York game postponed—rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Boston-Brooklyn game postponed—wet grounds.

Cincinnati-Pittsburgh game postponed—rain.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	9	13	0
Chicago	10	12	2

Batteries — Sherdel, Sothoron, Haines and O'Farrell; Kauffman, Piercey and Hartnett.

Philadelphia, June 1.—Two homers by Infielder Kelly of the Giants in succession featured the victory over the Phillies fo-day, 7-6.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
New York	7	11	3
Philadelphia	6	9	1

Batteries — Ring and Snyder; Mitchell and Henline.

BAY CRICKET TEAM

The Hudson's Bay cricket team for tomorrow follows: A. Haines, E. Verrall, M. Le May, M. Sutton, W. Parkes, H. Hansen, P. Harrison, M. Watkins, M. Straker, T. Mason, P. Shrimpton; reserves, Eaton, Fea, Redman and Carey.

BARROW FINDS B.C. STOCK RANCHES IN EXCELLENT SHAPE

Mild Winter Aids Cattle Men; Fine Beef Fattening For Summer Market

Stock ranches of the Cariboo and Chilcotin districts of British Columbia have come through the Winter in splendid condition owing to the mild weather and, as a result, stock men are looking forward to one of the best years for a long time, Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, reported to-day on his return from a tour of observation through the interior.

"In many parts of the Cariboo and Chilcotin country," Mr. Barrow said to-day, "it was possible to bring the cattle through the Winter without feeding as the ranges were free of snow. The cattle are now in splendid shape, and there will be a great deal of fine beef ready for shipment in July.

"While grasshoppers are reported as creating a real menace in parts of the southern interior, the ranches in the Cariboo and Chilcotin are not looking forward to any damage from this cause."

Mr. Barrow toured in the interior with members of the B.C. Stockbreeders' Association on their annual jaunt.

PREMIER TALKS TO KIWANIANS ON RESOURCES

Remarkable Increase in Development Outlined in Brief Address

Hon. John Oliver was the guest of honor of the Kiwanis Club to-day at the weekly luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce, and spoke on the resources of British Columbia and their development.

Remarking that the Province has a great variety of resources of enormous potential value, the Premier discussed first the timber forests, aggregating 366,000,000,000 feet board measure and the greatest Provincial asset. The annual cut is now 2,600,000,000 feet, worth last year $82,000,000, the greatest wealth producer in British Columbia and the heaviest contributor to the Provincial revenues. Touching upon criticism of the destructive methods of logging the Premier declared that as much timber is left after logging as stands in unharvested forests in many parts of Canada. "Having in view the constantly increasing value of timber produced, I do not think we should be in too great a hurry to cut and market this great resource," he commented, after showing the vast growth in export by water from this Province.

MINERAL ADVANCE

The remarkable growth in mineral production was discussed, Hon. Mr. Oliver showing that research work in treatment of refractory minerals has been a factor of vital importance in the history of British Columbia mining, and probably will have a great effect in making profitable many properties not previously commercial.

The wide distribution of commercial coal deposits was touched upon. "British Columbia has been blessed, far beyond any other country we know of, with an abundance of coal," said the Premier, believing the competition of fuel oil would have a good effect in stimulating research into better means of utilizing coal.

He saw possibility in future years, of vast savings in haulage and handling by conversion at mine-heads of coal to gas, and commercial by-products, gas fuel being piped to centres of population. "There is every possibility of such discoveries outranking radio and many other results of scientific inquiry,' he forecasted.

The farms of British Columbia are showing a consistent increase in production, but a great betterment is possible, the Premier admitted. He considered that farmers have not taken adequate advantage of the improved machinery now available.

The fishing industry of British Columbia has at least been holding her own in fish production, the Premier remarked. Referring to the practical extinction of the sockeye salmon in the Fraser River the Premier roundly denounced the "profligate waste" which had marked this industry in the years of its flourishing.

The payrolls of the Province have increased from $130,000,000 in 1922 to 160,000,000 in 1925, according to the records of the Workmen's Compensation Board, the Premier remarked, when examining this aspect of the industrial life of the Province. Commenting upon the wide divergence between climatic conditions existent in the Province, the Premier said, "You have on this Coast a climate the envy of the whole world' and pointed out that there was no section of the Province where a unhealthy climatic conditions exist.

Warning his audience against relying too heavily on profiting from providing amusement to the people of North America, the Premier remarked that a period of hard times would re-act heavily, and urged that the greatest reliance of the people should rest upon production and utilization to the utmost of the wide range of resources available.

The Premier was warmly applauded by the large attendance when Chairman Atwell D. King presented the thanks of the Club for the address.

Three new members were initiated, Kiwanian W. G. Ganuce presenting Kiwanis badges to F. Knight, A. S. Woollard and A. J. W. Page after a brief address.

The musical programme included controlo vocal selections by Mrs. Lazenby accompanied by Mrs. Clifford Warn, and a varied entertainment by the Kiwanis orchestra.

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COMMISSIONER TELLS OVERSEAS LEAGUE OF DOMINION TOUR

Conditions existing in the various branches of the Overseas League in Canada were cited yesterday afternoon by Commissioner R. O'Brien, before the members of the Victoria branch, who had again assembled to honor him as their guest and to bid him farewell on his return to headquarters. Since February Mr. O'Brien has been visiting the larger cities of Canada for the purpose of stimulating and increasing interest in the Overseas League, the aim of which has been accomplished, judging from the names of the prominent citizens of Canada who have been enrolled as members since his arrival, among whom are His Excellency Lord Byng, the Prime Minister, members of the Cabinet, Senators, the Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, the Premier of Manitoba, Archbishop Sinnott of Winnipeg, and many other notable residents in the cities visited.

Special tribute was paid by Mr. O'Brien to the Victoria branch of the Overseas League, which is the largest in Canada and which has the most energetic and efficient honorary corresponding secretary he has met in his travels throughout Canada, Mrs. Lamborn.

Dr. W. W. Bolton, president of the Victoria branch, and Canon Hinchliffe voiced the appreciation of the members here who have been given increased enthusiasm by the commissioner's visit. The assembled members had also the pleasure of listening to two vocal solos given by Capt. Layborn, the applause of which signified their appreciation.

It was decided to hold another meeting of the branch prior to the Summer holidays, the date of which was set for the last Monday in June.

LIFE SENTENCE IS GIVEN BOMB MAN

A. K. Bartlett, Constable in Michigan, Killed Three Persons

Muskegon, Mich., June 1—Circuit Judge John Vanderwerp to-day sentenced Asa K. Bartlett, twenty-eight, Blue Lake Township constable, to life imprisonment for the murder of August Krubaech, his daughter and her fiance, William Franke, killed by a bomb last Thursday.

The judge expressed regret the state law did not provide for capital punishment.

Bartlett stated in his confession, made public to-day, that he started two years ago to make the bomb which he sent through the mails last week.

It was two years ago that township politics involved Krubaech and Bartlett in bitter opposition.

In his confession Bartlett expressed regret the bomb had killed the girl and Franke.

SCHOOL CHILDREN IN MUSIC CONTESTS

3,000 Compete in B.C. Competition in City of Vancouver

Vancouver, June 1.—To-day's session of the British Columbia Musical Festival were given over entirely to school children, it being estimated fully 3,000 would compete in the school choir events. No results will be announced until this evening.

The committee in charge announced to-day the final session of the competition would be held at the Horse Show Building in Hastings Park Saturday night, instead of in the Arena, as previously arranged, as the owners of the Arena had asked to be relieved of their contract.

PRIZES AWARDED

Prizes were awarded yesterday as follows:

Young contraltos under nineteen years—1, Edith Platt, Vancouver (silver medal); 2, Annabelle F. Mackenzie, Vancouver.

Elocution, girls under ten years—1, Catherine Craig, Victoria (silver medal); 2, Viva O. Merritt, Vancouver.

Elocution, boys under 14 years—1, Jack Ruttan, Victoria (silver medal); 2, Charles R. Matthison, New Westminster. The two boys tied and then competed again for first place.

Elocution, men, open—1, J. W. Morgan (gold medal); 2, Wilfrid Ord, Victoria; 3, George H. Hallett, Victoria.

Girls' solo, under fifteen years (silver medal)—1, Olive M. French, Vancouver; 2, Hilda M. Bone, Vancouver; 3, Alice B. D. Parker.

ELOCUTION AWARDS

Elocution, ladies, open (gold medal)—1, Mrs. Ethel Fergusson, Vancouver; 2, Mrs. Edith Matthison, New Westminster; 3, Mrs. C. E. Findlater; 4, Dorothy A. M. Gittins, Victoria.

Girls' solo, under fifteen years (silver medal)—1, Edith White, West Vancouver; 2, Annie Lamont, North Vancouver, and Helen Parker, Vancouver, tied for second place.

Trio, S.T.B. (silver medal)—1, Mrs. Ethel Beswick Morritt, Messrs. A. C. F. Haddon and F. Lupton. Only one entry.

Vocal solo, mezzo soprano (gold medal)—1, Isabelle C. Crawford, Victoria; 2, Mabel Irene Wheatland, Vancouver; 3, Dorothy M. Cotton, Vancouver.

Elocution, boys under sixteen years—Kenneth Webster, Victoria, and Garth Griffiths, Victoria. No award.

Small church choirs, twenty-four voices or less—1, West Point Grey Presbyterian (United); 2, New Westminster Presbyterian; 3, Dunbar Heights United.

VANCOUVER INVITES ROALD AMUNDSEN

Vancouver, June 1.—Mayor Louis D. Taylor to-day wired Roald Amundsen, inviting him to visit Vancouver on the way home.

BASEBALL, BOXING — TIMES SPORTING NEWS — GOLF, BOWLING

"Booting 'em Home" Popular Practice Of Wobbly Eagles

Thought They Were Jockeys and Ran Home Seven Sons of Canada in One Inning

Real Good Ball Game Turned Into Joke in Fifth; Four Errors Helped Spoil Things

"Booting 'em home" is a saying usually associated with horse-racing, but the Eagles showed last night that it could apply to a ball game. They booted home no less than seven base runners wearing the livery of the Sons of Canada, at the Royal Athletic Park, all in one inning, and that was quite sufficient to give the natives a win by 7-4.

When the fourth inning had been completed the fans were all adjusted for a fast, snappy game. Up to that time it was unquestionably the best game of the season. The Eagles had gained a one-run lead and played steady ball in the field behind a good pitching display by Walter Hall.

Then came the blow-out. The Eagles lost control of their arms and their heads and make a joke out of a real good game. Things went from bad to worse and runners began crossing the plate so often that the Eagle management figured it was time to do something. It was impossible to yank the outfield and some of the infield, due to lack of relief material, but another pitcher was available so Hall was notified that his right-arm need work no longer and Doc Todd went to the mound.

LET DOWN BY COMRADE

Hall's pitching was not at fault. The whole trouble was in the fielding. No pitcher with four errors chucked into an inning can hope to escape punishment. Post missed an easy chance at short and with two out and a chance to retire the side the veteran Pott tried to hit the grandstand on his peg to first after fielding a fast ball. Taylor in right field and G. Gandy in left field checked in with errors and these, combined with two hits and a couple of passes, all helped along the run-getting. Gandy helped atone for his damage by making a shoe-string catch for the third out, taking the ball off his toes and somersaulting. It was the best catch of the game.

Doc Todd, who relived Hall on the mound, breezed along well. After the fast ball which Hall had been throwing Todd's slow "outs" had the Sons looking foolish. All told the Sons only gained six hits, four off Hall and a pair off Todd.

The Eagles opened the scoring in the third when Taylor gained a life on an infield out, was boosted to second on Potts' single and legged it home on Hap Gandy's slashing drive to centre.

It was nip-and tuck until the fifth. Both McLean, a new-comer from up-island, who twirled for the Sons and showed good form, and Hall had the batters tied to their hips. Then came the explosion in the fifth which won the game for the Sons.

A SHORT-LIVED RALLY

The Eagles tried a rally in their half of the fifth but two runs was all they netted. Within two runs in McLean retired because of a lame arm and Jack Curtis changed places with him, McLean going to right field. McLean just got to his new position in time to use his speed in gathering in a short fly that seemed to be falling safe. It made the third out.

There were signs of more runs as the game went along but both pitchers succeeded in subduing the uprisings. When the Eagles had finished their seventh turn at bat Umpire McGregor called the game on account of a combination of showers and darkness.

The box score follows:

Sons of Canada

	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Johnson, ss	3	0	0	1	0	1
Thomas, 3b	4	1	3	1	1	0
Dunn, 2b	3	1	0	2	2	1
Holman, cf	3	1	0	5	0	0
Cummins, 1b	3	1	0	4	0	0
Sallaway, lf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Curtis, rf-p	4	0	2	0	0	0
McGinnis, c	3	1	0	6	1	1
McLean, p-rf	3	1	1	2	1	1
Total	28	7	6	21	5	4

Eagles

	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
G. Gandy, lf	3	1	1	1	0	1
Taylor, rf	4	1	1	1	0	1
Potts, 1b	4	1	2	7	0	1
H. Gandy, 3b	3	1	2	0	0	0
Nex, 2b	2	0	0	5	1	1
Ross, c	4	0	1	4	1	0
Post, ss	3	0	1	1	2	0
Wachter, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hall, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Todd, p	2	0	1	1	2	0
Total	29	4	9	21	7	4

Score by innings—

Sons of Canada	0 0 0 0 7 0 0	7
Eagles	0 0 1 0 2 0 1	4

Summary: Two-base hits, Thomas and Taylor; sacrifice hit, Nex; stolen bases, Thomas (2), Dunn, Sallaway, Potts (2), H. Gandy and Ross; bases on balls, off Hall 5, off McLean 1, off Curtis 1, off Todd 1; struck out, by Hall 3, by McLean 4, by Todd 2, by Curtis 2; hit by pitcher, G. Gandy, by McLean; passed ball, Ross (1); 4 hits off Hall in 4 2-3 innings, 2 hits off Todd in 2 1-3 innings, 7 hits off McLean in 4 2-3 innings, 2 hits off Curtis in 2 1-3 innings. Time of game, 1 hour 35 minutes. Umpire, "Allie" McGregor.

VIENNA FOOTBALLERS WIN

Philadelphia, June 1.—The Kahoah soccer team of Vienna yesterday defeated the Philadelphia Field Club 3-0.

TILLICUMS TO OPEN WEDNESDAY CRICKET WITH HUDSON'S BAY

Wednesday cricket will get off to a start to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, when the Hudson's Bay eleven clash with the Tillicums at Jubilee Hospital grounds.

There are only three teams in the league this year, the Five C's being the other contestant. This team has received a bye this week, but will be seen in action next Wednesday afternoon.

All these clubs are evenly balanced and some good matches are looked for.

Amateur and Pro In Tie For Open Golf Laurels at Portland

Frank Dolp, Star Amateur, and Mel Smith, Pro, Led Field in First Round

Phil Taylor, Victoria, Well Down; Mrs. Wilding, Victoria, is Doing Well

Portland, June 1.—Frank Dolp, Oregon state amateur golf champion, and Mel Smith, Portland professional, were tied for the lead at the end of the first round of the Oregon state open championship played yesterday over the Portland Golf Club course.

Both men turned in scores of 142 for the 36 holes. One stroke behind the leaders came John Junor, Portland pro, who negotiated the 36 holes in 143. Johnny Jones, Seattle pro, and Roy Moe and Dr. O. F. Willing, local amateurs, were in a triple tie for third place with 144 each. Bert Wilde, of Bellingham, Wash., and Rudie Wilhelm Portland, were in fourth place with 145 each.

Other low scores included Abe Espinosa, San Francisco, 146; Mortie Dutra, Aberdeen, 147; Joe Novak, Berkeley, 148; Phil Taylor, Victoria, B.C., 150, and Neil Christian, Yakima, 153.

Portland, Ore., June 1.—Mrs. C. C. Cary, of Seattle, captured low medal honors of the qualifying round of the Oregon State Women's golf championship tournament on the Waverly Club course here yesterday, leading a field of 91 entrants with a score of 88.

Mrs. K. S. Reed, of Portland, was two strokes behind, finishing with 90. An even dozen women covered the 18 holes in less than 100, including Mrs. F. Wilding, of Victoria, B.C., with 95 and Mrs. J. C. Moore, of Seattle, with 97.

Among the outside entrants to qualify were Mrs. Frank Van Patten, Seattle; Mrs. Elsie McAlister, Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. M. H. Aronson, Seattle, and Mrs. N. J. Smillie, Vancouver, B.C.

SONS' LACROSSE MEETING

An important meeting of the Sons of Canada Intermediate Lacrosse Club will be held on Wednesday night in the Sons of Canada Hall, View Street, at 8 o'clock sharp. All members are asked to attend as important business concerning the destiny of the club will be dealt with.

VETERANS MUST TURN OUT

All signed players of the Veterans' Football Club are asked to attend a workout at the Vets of France tonight, after which the team to travel to New Westminster for the Connaught Cup game on Saturday will be selected. The Vets' management announced that men who do not turn out will not be given consideration in the selection.

CANADIAN BOXERS WIN

Philadelphia, June 1.—Leon (Kid) Roy, Canada, 127½ pounds, was awarded the judges' decision over Danny Kramer, Philadelphia, 127 pounds, after a ten-round bout at the Philadelphia National League Baseball park last night.

Val Fontaine, Canada, 156½ pounds, knocked out Bobby Marriott, Baltimore, 161½, in the fifth round of a six-round preliminary.

CRICKET MATCH DRAWN

London, June 1—The match between the visiting Australian cricket team and Middlesex was to-day left drawn. The score was: Australia first innings, 489; Middlesex first innings, 249; Australia second innings, 239 for five wickets.

HOW THEY STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	31	12	.721
Philadelphia	27	20	.574
Washington	24	20	.545
Detroit	23	21	.523
Chicago	24	22	.522
Cleveland	22	22	.500
St. Louis	14	30	.318
Boston	12	30	.286

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cincinnati	29	16	.644
Chicago	23	17	.575
Pittsburgh	23	18	.561
Brooklyn	21	19	.525
St. Louis	23	24	.489
New York	20	22	.476
Philadelphia	16	24	.400
Boston	12	27	.308

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Los Angeles	32	20	.615
Oakland	26	25	.510
Hollywood	28	27	.509
Seattle	28	28	.500
Sacramento	27	27	.500
Missions	27	27	.500
Portland	25	30	.455
San Francisco	23	31	.413

Doubleheaders Fail To Alter Standing Of Flag Contenders

No Wounded Left in Encounters in Major Leagues on Memorial Day

Yankees Hold Their Margin in American and Cincinnati Stick in National

New York, June 1—Memorial Day on major league ball fields, passing in an explosion of ball shells from the United States modern heroes of bat and ball, apparently left no wounded in the ranks of major league pennant contenders. Standings to-day were virtually unchanged as a result of an even division of spoils among all the clubs which were able to complete their schedule of double-headers.

The Yankees, beaten back by rain, held their margin of advantage at the top of the American League as the result of Philadelphia's failure to do better than break even with Boston. Howard Ehmke shut out the Athletics in the first game 2-0, but the Mackmen won the second game 8-2.

Detroit-St. Louis and Chicago-Cleveland struggles also ended with honors even. Twenty-five hits were spread over the first nine innings of the Tigers and Browns game, with Cobb's men drawing out a 10-7 victory by a seven-run rally in the last two innings. In the second game, ended by darkness in the seventh, the Browns evened things with a 9-7 victory.

SPEAKER BENCHES HIMSELF

Pitchers' battles featured Cleveland's struggles. Lyons, pitching twenty-two scoreless innings against the Indians before they finally nicked him for a run in the eighth, hurled the White Sox to a 3-1 victory in the opener. Manager Speaker, who has had trouble getting into his stride at the plate, benched himself and Jamieson for poor hitting in the second game which gave the Indians a chance to come back in twelve innings, winning 5-4.

Pittsburgh failed to loosen Cincinnati's grasp on the leadership in the National. Carl Mays stopped them in the first game, 7-2, but the Pirates took the second 9-5.

A shower of base hits fell at Chicago, yielding the Cardinals one game, 5-3, and the Cubs the other at 8-7, but it remained for the New York Giants to set the clouting pace of the day with nineteen hits against the Phillies for a 12-' victory.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Cleveland—

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	3	11	0
Cleveland	1	9	0

Lyons and Grabowski; Miller, Buckeye and L. Sewell.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	4	12	2
Cleveland	5	11	0

Blankenship, Connally and Schalk; Shute, Karr, Huntziner and L. Sewell.

At St. Louis—

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	10	10	0
St. Louis	7	15	5

E. Whitehill and Manion; Davis and Hargrave.

At Boston—

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0	6	0
Boston	2	6	0

Grove and Cochrane; Ehmke and Bischoff.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	8	14	0
Boston	2	9	0

Gray and Cochrane; Zahniser, Russell and Bischoff.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburgh—

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	7	10	0
Pittsburgh	2	9	2

Mays and Picinich; Songer, Oldham, Cullotson and Smith.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	5	10	2
Pittsburgh	9	11	1

Lucas, Rixey, Holland and Hargrave, Picinich; Morrison and Gooch.

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
New York	12	19	0
Philadelphia	1	9	5

Fitzsimmons, Knight and Florence; Maun, Pierce and Henline.

At Chicago—

First game—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	5	13	1
Chicago	3	11	2

H. Bell and O'Farrell; Bush, Root and Hartnett.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	7	9	3
Chicago	8	13	2

Johnson, Vangilder, Hallahan and Vicks; Jones, Root, Mitchell and Gonzales.

Boston-Brooklyn doubleheader was postponed, rain.

COAST LEAGUE

San Francisco, June 1.—Clyde Barfoot, former Vernon pitcher, made an impressive return to Pacific Coast League baseball yesterday when he hurled the Missions into a 4-1 victory over the Seals in the second game of a doubleheader here. The game was marred by the injury of Evan Swanson, Mission centrefielder, who was hit on the head by a pitched ball. He suffered slight concussion of the brain and will be out of the game for several days.

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Missions	10	19	2
San Francisco	2	8	3

Ludolph and Walters; Griffin, Mitchell, Jolly and Agnew.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Missions	4	8	1
San Francisco	1	6	0

Barfoot and Murphy; Geary, Williams and Yelle, Vargas.

EACH WON A GAME

Los Angeles, June 1.—The Angels took the series from Hollywood in the afternoon game here, winning it 8 to 1, after losing to the Stars in the morning 3 to 2.

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	3	7	2
Los Angeles	2	9	2

McCabe and Peters; Crandall, Glazner and Hannah.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	1	4	1
Los Angeles	8	12	2

Fullerton and Redman; Hamilton and Hannah.

A FULL DAY'S WORK

Portland, June 1. — Oakland beat Portland yesterday two games, 14 to 10, and 11 to 7 and took the series five games to two. The first game was the slowest ever played in the Portland park. It went ten innings and lasted three hours and twenty minutes, and the second game went an hour and fifty-eight minutes.

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	14	21	2
Portland	10	15	2

Pruett, Stuart, Gould, Freeman and Bool; Burns, Meeker, Raiche, Lingret, Payne and Berry, Tobin.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	11	15	0
Portland	7	12	3

Krause and Baker; Lingert, Burns, Rachace, French and Tobin.

SEATTLE BREAKS EVEN

Seattle, June 1. — Seattle split a doubleheader yesterday and won a nine-game series with Sacramento here, losing the first game 4-0 and taking the second 6-5.

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	4	11	1
Seattle	0	5	0

Hughes and Koehler; Boyd, Lee and E. Baldwin.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	5	11	2
Seattle	6	8	1

Keating, Shea and Koehler; Best, Hasty and Jenkins.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Syracuse 4-8, Buffalo 5-13.
Baltimore 4-5, Reading 6-6.
Toronto 2-9, Rochester 4-6.
Newark-Jersey City, rain.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Oklahoma City, 16-7; Tulsa, 5-4.
Lincoln, 5-10; Denver, 8-7.
Des Moines, 28-1; Omaha, 5-17.
Wichita, 7-9; St. Joseph, 16-10.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Milwaukee, 5-4; Kansas City, 3-1.
Minneapolis, 5; St. Paul, 8. (First game postponed.)
Toledo, 8-5; Columbus, 7-4.
Louisville, 2-9; Indianapolis, 1-11.

Pictorial Golf Instruction

By H. B. MARTIN

Golf Clubs Formerly Had Concave Face

The bulger faced club which has become so popular of late was one of the freaks of the day when it was first introduced to the game. It was a departure from the orthodox style of making clubs and few golfers thought it worth while to even give it a trial. Willy Park, the famous pro, who died recently in his old home town of Musselburg, Scotland, and who at one time was the open champion of Great Britain, thought well of the idea and made himself a set of woods with the face bow shaped instead of scooped in or concave, the style prevalent at that time.

He proved that the bulger type was what was needed and now most of the leading golfers use them. It gave Park more distance and other players noticing this soon took it up. Then for some unaccountable reason it went out of style, but recent years have brought it back into popularity. The old style concave club, however, entirely disappeared and straight faced clubs or the bulger faced club took its place.

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Lawn Bowling

Excellent play was witnessed in the game in the Greater Victoria Lawn Bowling League between the Ramblers and the Rangers, the cup-holders winning by a narrow margin.

At Hampton Road the C.P.R. skips, Messrs. Raeside and Wood, found their wide knowledge of the game invaluable against the aggressive tactics of their less experienced opponents.

The Burnsiders, who visited the C.P.R. green, found little opposition and only the steadiness of Robb kept the discrepancy from being much larger.

The Maroons will improve, however, and the game with the Golden Eight on Saturday next will be a much closer affair.

Next Saturday the Burnside Club will celebrate the second anniversary of the opening of the Hampton Road green. The programme includes a visit from the C.P.R. Maroons at 2.30 o'clock. Other features will be club picnic tea under the direction of the ladies' club at 5.30, and new style progressive pairs at 7 with twenty-four players participating, and club smoker at 8.15.

The league fixture between the Rangers and the Rovers should be a very close effort, judging by their scores against the Ramblers. This match may prove the first "draw" of the season.

The ladies of the Victoria Lawn Bowling Club held a meeting in the clubhouse at Beacon Hill last week to reorganize. The following officers were elected for the season: President, Mrs. J. P. Owens; vice-president, Mrs. A. B. McNeil; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. M. H. Burley; executive committee, Mrs. Thomson, Mrs. McKeachie and Mrs. Reid. Any lady contemplating joining the club should make application without delay.

Burnsiders Winners Over Hillcrests in Inter-club Tennis

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent on Saturday, when the members of the Burnside Tennis Club entertained a team from the Hillcrest Club.

The home team won the match thirteen sets to one. The visitors were used to playing on grass courts, and they were at a slight disadvantage playing on hard courts, but put up strong opposition, and many of the sets were keenly contested. During the tournament refreshments were served by the ladies. The teams were:

Hillcrest—Mrs. Kent-Fawkes, Mrs. Poyntz, Misses Wise and Thompson and Dr. Poyntz, J. Kent-Fawkes, Dr. McCallum, Herb. Davie.

Burnside—Misses M. Bland, L. Northam, K. Bates, Messrs. Prentice, Kesson, Dowds, Hole and Martin.

Study the crowd at any ball game when the seventh inning rolls around if you want to see what the rising generation looks like.

Johnny Miles Runs Away From Relays in A Six-mile Gallop

North Sydney, N.S., June 1.—John Miles, celebrated Marathon runner, won a six-mile race staged here last night in thirty-eight minutes and two seconds, defeating three runners, who made two mile relays of the distance, by nearly 300 yards.

Middlesex, All Out For 349 Runs, Much Shy of Australians

Visitors in Second Innings Score 11 Runs For no Wickets at Luncheon

Allan's Bowling Superb Ends Heavy Scoring of Australians Yesterday

London, June 1. (Canadian Press Cable) — Middlesex compiled a first innings score of 349 in their game with the Australians at Lords. Australia's first innings total was 489. At the luncheon interval to-day, the last day of the match, Australia had scored 11 runs for no wickets in their second innings.

London, June 1.—The second day's play in the match between the visiting Australian cricketers and Middlesex was witnessed at Lord's yesterday by 15,000 spectators, who saw the Australians dismissed for a total of 489 runs, while Middlesex, taxing the bat had scored 233 runs for six wickets.

This was the second largest score made by the Antipodeans in their present tour. Their highest figure of 538 for nine wickets was made against Essex at Leyton. Contributing largely to their present total were T. J. E. Andrews, H. L. Collins and C. J. Macartney. The combined total of their score was slightly over two-thirds of the entire number obtained by the tourists.

The outstanding feature of the game was the collapse of the Australian "tail," Grimmett and Everett being dismissed with zeros and Oldfield returning to the pavilion with four. Considerable damage was done by G. O. Allen, who, bowling for Middlesex, secured the average of five wickets for 93 runs.

ALLEN'S DELIVERY EXCELLENT

From the English point of view the day's play was encouraging and tended to lay the bogey of Australian invincibility. The weather was fine and warm and the wicket good. Allen's delivery was magnificent, the ball coming off the pitch like lightning. His last four wickets, all bowled, cost only 8 runs.

Andrews and Taylor resumed for the Australians in the morning. Saturday's play had seen the visitors with four wickets down at 357. With Andrews holding his grounds at 129 and Taylor at one run. Andrews played dazzling cricket. He and Taylor continued to force the score upwards until Hendren caught the latter off Burston at 14. Ryder followed ad again the game settled down into a run-getting contest. But Ryder fell to Allen at 22. The next man up was Gregory. Again the spectators were treated to some beautiful play, with Andrews punctuating his smaller totals with occasional fours. But Andrews was unable to outlast the innings and his citadel fell when Stevens caught him off Allen.

With Andrews vanished the Australian stand, for Oldfield, Grimmett and Everett simply paraded to the wicket and returned to the clubhouse. Only four runs came from their batting, although Gregory manfully tried to raise his total. The Australians' innings fell with Gregory not out at 45.

The feature of the Australian team at bat was the fact that Andrews batted for three hours and fifteen minutes and in that time had hit out twenty-two fours.

Middlesex began with Stevens and Lee, and the latter's wicket fell to Gregory's bowling when the board registered 28 runs. Thereafter Stevens and Hearne played a splendid partnership. Hearne drove heavily and found both Gregory and Everett for many runs. His partnership with Stevens lasted an hour and three-quarters, in which time he had rung up five fours, but his wicket crashed eventually when he tried to turn a ball to the leg.

Hendren, Bruce, Allen and Mann all continued to keep Stevens' total intact. Stevens' batting was not brilliant, but it was steady and sure. He continued until the close of play, having so far batted for three hours and fifty minutes. Eight fours are included in his overnight total of 114.

The score, first innings:

Australians

Bardsley, b Hearne	70
Woodfull, b Burston	3
Macartney, c Tanner, b Haig	44
Collins, c Tanner, b Haig	99
Andrews, c Stevens, b Burston	164
Taylor, c Hendren, b Burston	14
Ryder, b Allen	22
Gregory, not out	45
Oldfield, b Allen	4
Grimmett, b Allen	0
Everett, b Allen	0
Extras	24
Total	489

Bowling Analysis

Middlesex — Haig, two for 160; Burston, two for 76; Tanner, none for 65; Allen, five for 63; Stevens, none for 57; Hearne, one for 41; Lee, none for 3.

Middlesex

Stevens, not out	114
Lee, b Gregory	12
Hearne, out	59
Hendren, c Woodfull, b Everett	19
Hon. C. N. Bruce, b Everett	6
Allen, c and b Grimmett	11
Mann, c Andrews, b Everett	5
Extras	6
Total, for six wickets	232

Vancouver Indians Defeat Seattle in Hot Lacrosse Game

Seattle, June 1.—The Vancouver Indians Lacrosse Club carried the punch and put over a 7 to 6 victory on the Seattle team at the stadium yesterday afternoon in the first game this year here. A good crowd of fans was on hand to witness what the Americans would consider is a rough, tough he-man game.

POLLETT AND LEWIS WILL BOX FOR ISLAND TITLE ON JUNE 12

Announcement was made this morning by Matchmaker Billy Davies that the fight between Dave Lewis of this city, and Henry Pollett of Nanaimo, for the featherweight championship of Vancouver Island would be held at the Arena on Saturday, June 12.

This bout is arusing much interest, as it will be Lewis's first big event. He has shown much class in his other bouts, especially his last one, when he stopped Young Corbett of Vancouver, in jig time. Lewis had the ability to go a long way in the fight game.

Esquimalt To Meet Sons of Canada In Lacrosse Fixture

Dockers Will Make Initial Appearance at Royal Athletic Park To-night

The intermediate lacrosse fixture this evening will feature Esquimalt and the Sons of Canada. The game will start at 6.30 o'clock at the Royal Athletic Park. It will be Esquimalt's first appearance on the lacrosse field this season and they hope to be able to show the Sons a thing or two.

Steve Redgrave, the Esquimalt manager, has a classy squad of players lined up and expects to show the way to the Natives. He has been working hard on his boys for the last few weeks and has them all drilled into shape for their initial encounter.

In both their starts this season the Sons have come through to victory, Sidney being the victim each time. Their aim to-night wil be to preserve their unbeaten record. If they show the form which they have done so far and play their usual clean game, they will be able to win.

Alex Stevens and Cyril Baker will handle the game.

Following will be the line-ups:

Esquimalt—Pastro, Basso, Burnett, Thompson, White, Banks, Mercer, S. Hicks, Wagland, Burns, Sweeney, De Costa, Scaife, Fooks, Darbyshire, H. Mercer and V. Hicks.

Sons of Canada—Jones, Jack Taylor, Rickinson, Russell, Macmurchie, Bissell, Chapman, Godwin, John Taylar, Smith, Nicol, Plater, Shade, Bryant, Gilson and Collier.

SOFT-BALL

Eight softball games are scheduled for this evening, two in section "A", three in section "B" and three in section "C."

At Macaulay Point, in the "A" section, Foul Bay will attempt to lower the colors of the league-leading Hillcrests. The Crests have yet to be beaten.

The other "A" division fixture will be between the Navy and Onwegos at the Canteen grounds. Both of these squads are hitting a fair pace and a good exhibition should result.

Another team with a winning streak behind them are the Andreans. They are joint occupiers of top place in "B" section with the Bluebirds. They will endeavor to continue their string of victories when they tussle with the Camlum Tigers at Beacon Hill.

At Central Park, the Hudson's Bay are scheduled to take on the Bapcos. The team which wins this game will put across its first victory this season, neither having copped a win yet.

Bryant's Bluebirds, the other top-notchers in "B" sectoin, will try conclusions with Harris & Smith. The Bluebirds have not suffered defeat.

Lemon Gonnason and the Tillicums are booked to meet in "C" section.

Wilson Brothers will journey up to the Normal School to try to snatch a victory from the students.

The Y.M.C.A. and the Sons of England will provide the fun at the other Beacon Hill grounds.

Games commence at 6.30 o'clock.

HORSE RACING

Toronto, June 1—Ideal weather conditions greeted a tremendous gathering which attended the opening day's sport of the Thorncliffe Racing and Breeding Association's Spring meeting at the Leaside course yesterday.

The Thorncliffe handicap saw a field of five paraded to the post and it resulted in a rousing finish when Lieutenant II set all the pace and just lasted long enough to stall off Token by the smallest of margins.

Vancouver Tennis Team Scores a Win Over Seattle Boys

Vancouver, June 1.—The team of the Vancouver Lawn Tennis Club repelled the invasion of net warriors from the Sound City here yesterday afternoon. Capturing six singles and three doubles, the local aggregation turned in a 9 matches to 6 victory

The Y.M.C.A. track and field team will hold a workout to-night. The practice will be held outdoors, and the following boys are requested to meet at the Y.M.C.A. building at 6.15 o'clock: Cyril Connerton, Joe Ross, Greg Jones, Donald Newell, Charles Owen, Tom Whiteley, Godfrey Jones, Frank Gould, Max Maynard, John Newman, Cy. Tomlinson, Jack Clarke, and Elmer Knight.

Americans Getting Hang of Course For Walker Cup Match

Will Meet English Team in Defence of Trophy at Famous St. Andrew's

Jones, Mackenzie, Von Elm and Gunn Remain For British Open Championship

St. Andrews, Scotland, June 1.—Bobby Jones, United States amateur golf champion; Roland Mackenzie, George von Elm and Watts Gunn, members of the United States Walker Cup team, have decided to remain for the British open golf championship opening on June 21.

Jess Sweetser, of New York, recently winner of the British amateur championship, who has no particular liking for championship medal play, will sail for home June 5.

The main body of the American team made a pilgrimage over the hallowed golfing grounds of St. Andrews yesterday. For Captain Gardner's veterans, it was a journey to familiarize themselves with the course on which they successfully defended the Walker Cup in 1923, and there was little indication that they had forgotten how to negotiate the difficulties of the famous championship links.

Bobby Jones, for instance, returned a par of 72 in a match against Von Elm.

SWEETSER SHOOTS WELL

Sweetzer also started away from the Royal and Ancient Golf Club house like the champion he is. For the benefit of the golfing salons who lined the great windows of the clubhouse to see him tee off, he took a birdie three for the 365-yard hole. Then followed two more threes and when he disappeared in the distance around the edge of the bay on which the St. Andrews links are situated, he still was shooting par figures or better.

Young Gunn, who followed the champion, had a card of 76.

The British Walker men, although naturally more familiar with the course than the Americans, also were on hand for practice rounds. Late in the afternoon Roger Wethered, C. O. Hezlett, Cyril Tolley and W. G. Brownlow, came in from a four-ball match which the two former won, 2-1.

London, June 1.—The surplus money from the gate receipts at the two days' professional international golf tournament between a British and a United States team at Wentworth June 4 and 5, will be turned over to the professional golfers' association to start a fund to enable British professionals to visit the United States in 1927. It is thus hoped to make the affair an annual one.

Cowichan Golfers Win Dickie Cup at Last From Nanaimo

Special to The Times

Duncan, June 1.—For the first time since its donation, three years ago, by C. H. Dickie, M.P., Cowichan have won the Dickie Cup. This was given for competition between the Cowichan and Nanaimo Golf Clubs, two matches to be played annually, one in Nanaimo and one in Duncan, the club winning twice in succession to become the owners of the cup. The first year the two teams tied. Last year Nanaimo won out and this year Duncan won by 21 points, a lead of seven in the match played at Nanaimo and fifteen on the match played at Duncan on Sunday.

The results were as follows, with the Nanaimo players named first in each case:

SINGLES

Dr. P. Margeson 2½, H. F. Prevost ½; W. W. Mitchell 1, A. H. Peterson 2; N. McFarlane 1, K. F. Duncan 2; R. R. Hindmarsh ½, Yvon Birley 2½; T. C. Cunningham 0, B. Colk 3; Dr. McIntyre 2½; G. G. Share ½; W. Glaholm ½, W. B. Powel 2½; J. K. Simpson 1½, J. S. Robinson 1½; J. Colman ½, A. Day 2½; A. Leighton 1, H. St. G. Stepney 2; G. Heyworth 1, A. H. Lomas 2; J. E. Filmer 3, E. W. Carr Hilton 0.

FOURBALL

Dr. P. Margeson and W. W. Mitchell 3½, H. F. Prevost and A. H. Peterson ½; N. McFarlane and R. R. Hindmarsh ½, K. F. Duncan and Yvon Birley 3½; T. C. Cunningham and Dr. McIntyre 0, Ben Colk and G. G. Share 4; W. Glaholm and J. F. Simpson 0, W. B. Powel and J. S. Robinson 4; J. Colman and A. Leighton 0, A. Day and H. St. G. Stepney 4; G. Heyworth and J. E. Filmer 3½, A. H. Lomas and E. W. Carr Hilton ½.

Zbyszko Flops His Man In Surprise Fashion

Vancouver, June 1.—Stanislaus Zbyszko, former heavyweight wrestling champion of the world, won two straight falls here last night over Leo L'Heureaux, French-Canadian wrestler, the first fall in forty-three minutes and the second in ten minutes.

In the first go, L'Heureaux was the aggressor throughout, having several damaging arm holds on Zybszko, which the latter broke only after much trouble. Finally, with Zbyszko hanging on to the ropes facing the crowd, L'Heureaux, with a hold around the waist, was trying to pull the big Pole clear. The latter suddenly let loose, falling on top of the Frenchman in the centre of the ring, pinning L'Heureaux to the mat.

In the second fall, Zbyszko was the aggressor, and after breaking two or three arm holds, fell into a toe hold, finally breaking this and securing the same hold on L'Heureaux, the latter finally conceding the match after a minute or so in this position.

AT THE THEATRES

GLORIA SWANSON IS CAPITOL'S STAR IN "THE UNTAMED LADY"

Gloria Swanson sparkles through her latest picture, "The Untamed Lady," at the Capitol this week, with all the brilliancy and polish of the finished actress and all the buoyant independence and luxurious wardrobe of a society heiress, who has youth, beauty, social position and—$20,000,000!

One would naturally think that life for a girl so richly endowed would be one grand, sweet song, but, alas and alack! there is always a fly in the ointment. In her case it is an ungovernable temper, which frightens friends and fiances, and provides the framework on which the comic, dramatic and romantic experiences of the plot are built.

It is this temperament that prompts her to cheer for Yale when she is sitting in the Princeton stand, during a Yale-Princeton football game. This same devil-may-care spirit tempts her to attend a fashionable society dance in a bathing-suit, and on another occasion moves her to speak up while a famous musician is playing.

Three times she becomes engaged, and each time the engagement blows up. It is then that fiance number four comes along and determines for her good as well as his own peace of mind to tame her. And then the fun—and action—and thrills, begin in earnest!

Some remarkable yacht scenes during a storm at sea, incidentally showing Gloria shoveling coal in the boiler room, and an exciting chase on horseback, feature the latter portion of the picture. Lavish staging and de luxe backgrounds add to the pictorial beauty of the photoplay, and Frank Tuttle deserves special commendation for his deft direction. Lawrence Gray gives a very spirited performance as Gloria's leading man, and the rest of the cast is more than adequate.

"The Untamed Lady" is an original story, written especially for Miss Swanson by Fannie Hurst, popular American author. James Creelman attended to the adaptation.

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"The Untamed Lady."
Columbia—"The Merry Widow."
Dominion—"Brown of Harvard."
Coliseum—"Parlor, Bedroom and Bath."
Playhouse—Alfred Darby, Ventriloquist.
Royal—"The Student Prince."

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"THE MERRY WIDOW," GREAT PHOTOPLAY, NOW AT COLUMBIA

One of the finest pictures it has ever been our pleasure to see was presented last night at the Columbia Theatre. It is entitled "The Merry Widow." The production is a splendid piece of workmanship and shows Mae Murray and John Gilbert, as co-stars, doing the best work of their varied and brilliant careers. Erich von Stroheim, whose directorial genius immortalized "Foolish Wives," has fulfilled a similar function with "The Merry Widow."

Laid in a mythical Balkan kingdom, the picture reflects all the glamor, fascination and beauty of the Continent.

The story is replete with surprises and moves at a pace that keeps the spectator enthralled during every moment of its unfoldment. It tells of the romantic adventures of a dashing young prince (admirably well portrayed by John Gilbert) and a vivacious Irish-American dancer (deftly characterized by Mae Murray). It is brimful with surprises and thrills, and its climaxes lead one to another with refreshing swiftness as a series of beautiful tableaux mark the progress of the plot.

Erich von Stroheim, besides directing the film, is responsible with Benjamin Glazer for the well-knit scenario prepared from the famous stage play by Victor Leon, Leo Stein and Franz Lehar, as produced by Henry W. Savage.

PLAYHOUSE OFFERS RECENT PRODUCTION OF ROBERT T. KANE

Robert T. Kane, the producer who is turning out picture successes with great rapidity these days, is sponsor for the feature attraction announced by the Playhouse Theatre. It is "The Dancer of Paris" and represents the first Michael Arlen story to reach the silver screen.

Kane most recently produced "The Reckless Lady" and "Bluebeard's Seven Wives," and before those "The New Commandment," the picture that revived interest in the war drama.

Something of a pioneer is Kane. He doesn't follow the beaten track. Others are more apt to follow him. Certainly in producing the first Michael Arlen picture he has scored something of a coup. The internationally famous author of "The Green Hat," "These Charming People" and other books have been eagerly awaited by screen fans.

SCREAMING FARCE IS OFFERED THIS WEEK AT COLISEUM

Judging from its reception last night, "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," at the Coliseum is going to be a drawing-card for the rest of the week. The fun, which is fast and furious, is caused by the efforts of a young man, of most docile habits, to live up to the reputation his wife has imagined of him. She believes herself to be married to a modern Don Juan and will only believe in him as a gay philanderer who finds in her a permanent interest, despite the efforts of hundreds of women to take him from her. As he really cares nor nothing but a quiet, domestic life, his amateur attempts to pretend to go astray cause any amount of trouble for himself and his friend, and proportionate amusement for the audience. It is a typical production of good farce and has been exceedingly well put on by the Coliseum director.

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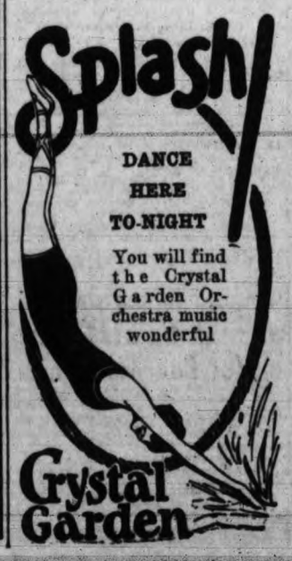

"STUDENT PRINCE" A BRILLIANT AND TUNEFUL OPERETTA

Audience Acclaims Magnificent Production; Wonderful Singing and Acting

Described in the advance notices as a spectacular operatta, "The Student Prince" which opened a three-day run at the Royal Victoria Theatre last evening fully justifies the appellation. It is spectacular to a degree comparable with some of the biggest metropolitan productions, while as an operetta it is one of the most tuneful and beautiful heard in this city for many years, fully equalling, if not surpassing, "Blossom Time," which was presented by the same producers, Messrs. Shubert.

The music and the singing throughout are a sheer delight, the haunting melodies being a welcome and refreshing change from the ubiquitous jazz with which the ears of the world have been assailed of late. Playgoers who revelled in the operetta "Old Heidelberg" twenty years ago will recognize its inspiration in "The Student Prince," and the success of last night's production proves that music, in the best sense of that much-abused term, is like wine, it improves with the passing of the years.

BRILLIANT CAST

The production is brilliantly cast and the singing and acting is of an unusually high standard. The laurels must go to the two principals, Howard Marsh and Ilse Marvenga, both consummate artists. As Karl Franz, the young prince who is called to renounce his happy student days and his youthful love idyll for the rigid convention of kingship and a state marriage, Mr. Marsh gave a brilliant performance. He is the possessor of an unusually attractive tenor voice, which he uses to the best possible advantage in the many fine numbers which fall to his role, particularly "What Memories," "You're in Heidelberg," "Golden Days" and in the haunting duet with Kathie, "Deep in My Heart, Dear."

Recalled again and again at the end of the third act, Mr. Marsh expressd the company's appreciation of the tumultuous welcome accorded them.

As Kathie, the golden-haired country girl with whom the prince falls in love, Miss Marvenga scored an instant success, singing and acting with daintiness and charm. Her scenes with the prince were among the most delightful of the whole production, their voices blending beautifully in the tuneful duets.

Bertram Peacock, remembered by many local theatre-goers as the Franz Shubert of "Blossom Time," gave a fine performance as the old tutor, Dr. Engel, who relives his lost youth with the prince at Heidelberg. Margaret Cantrell as the princess was regal and her duet and dance with Capt Tarnitz (Warren Hull) was enthusiastically encored.

The comedy element was furnished by Douglas Leavitt, who was inimitable in mien and gesture as the pompous valet, Herr Lutz; the Grand Duchess Anastasia (Bell Sylvia) and Gretchen, the serving maid, played by Ruth Mary Lockwood, proved themselves comediennes of a high order, while Alec Harford as the lugubrious Hubert made an excellent foil to the pompous Lutz. In the minor role of Toni, the waiter, Nathaniel Sack gave a fine piece of character acting.

SPLENDID CHORUS

As a most effective background to the excellent singing and acting of the principals was the work of the chorus, which can truthfully be said to be the finest chorus that has ever come to this city in a musical production. The male voices were particularly fine and the precision of their attack, the light and shade of their rendering, was a sheer joy. The famous "Drinking Song," "Students' Life," the serenade and "To the Inn We're Marching," were among the numbers which will be long remembered.

A magnificent setting provides fitting background for an outstanding performance, particularly in the third act, the court scene being one of regal splendor, requiring the full depth of the stage for its presentation. In this scene the ladies of the court in their wide hooped gowns and the gentlemen of the court in their brilliant military and diplomatic uniforms, combine to make an unusually beautiful spectacle.

"The Student Prince" will be repeated to-night and to-morrow, and for a matinee on Wednesday, and any one failing to see it will have lasting cause for regret at having missed one of the finest entertainments Victoria has seen for many years.

DOMINION'S FILM EPIC OF SCHOOL LIFE ON CAMPUS

Life on the campus of one of America's greatest institutions of learning has been immortalized by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer in their production of "Brown of Harvard," which opened last night at the Dominion Theatre. The picture was directed by Jack Conway, and was adapted from the famous stage success of the same name by Rida Johnson Young.

"Brown of Harvard" is by far the best story of college life that has yet reached the screen. It possesses a sincerity and a lack of the usual mock-heroics that have been noticeably missing in other stories of youth. The boys in the story are human beings, having as much fun as is permitted. They never appear automatons in the hands of a director.

Conay's direction, moreover, is consistently excellent throughout. There is a dominant and optimistic spirit of youth with which he has invested every scene throughout the picture.

The story tells of TomBrown, a wealthy young egotist, who goes to Harvard to take part in athletics and increase his reputation as a Don Juan. He makes himself the idol of a group of boys, especially of Doolittle, his roommate. The story takes him through two years of college, and an affair with the daughter of Professor Abbott. The freshman crew race is excellently done, and the football game between Yale and Harvard, many of the scenes having been photographed last Fall at the actual game, is by far the finest thing of its kind that has ever been seen in pictures.

ALBERTA NOMINATION

Calgary, June 1.—W. C. Smith of Redcliff, the present member for Redcliff, was nominated at the United Farmers' convention yesterday to run in the new constituency of Empress. In the provincial general election June 28. Premier Brownlee was unable to be present, remaining in Calgary with a sore throat contracted during his strenuous campaign in the southern part of the province last week.

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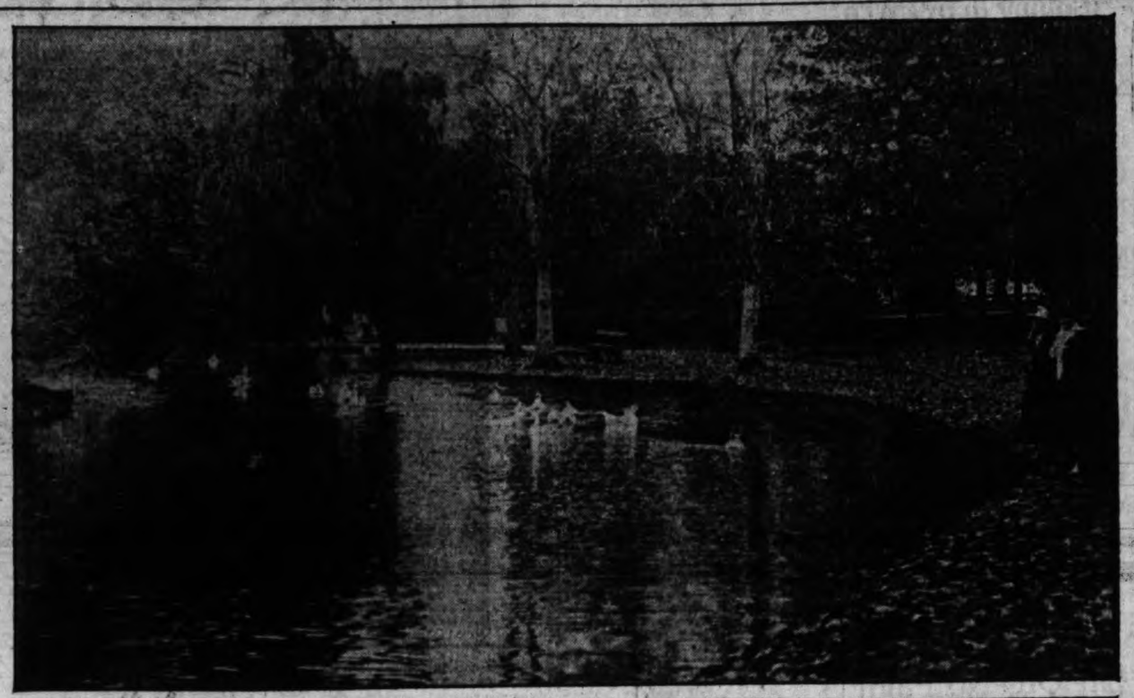

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NIAGARA POWER INQUIRY IS STARTED

Canadian-U.S. Committee Being Chosen to Study Diversion of Water

Ottawa, June 1.—Constitution is under way of a joint committee representing Canada and the United States to discuss:

1.—Preservation of the scenic beauty of Niagara Falls.

2.—The quantity of water which may be further diverted from Niagara Falls without interfering with the beauty of the Falls.

The Canadian representatives on the committee are Col. O. M. Biggar, Ottawa; J. G. Johnston, chief of the water powers branch department of the Interior, Ottawa and Dr. C. F. Camsell, Deputy Minister of Mines, Ottawa. The names of United States representatives on the committee have not yet been announced.

MOTION WITHDRAWN

Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, made this announcement in the House of Commons yesterday when a motion by Hon. Edmund Bristol, Conservative, Toronto East Centre, was under discussion. Mr. Bristol's motion urged such amendment of the Boundary Waters Treaty of 1910 as would permit an increased amount of water to be diverted on each side of the international boundary from the Niagara River above the falls for power purposes and in reference to remedial work and preservation of the scenic beauty of the falls. After discussion Mr. Bristol withdrew his motion.

CHICAGO DIVERSION

The debate included a discussion of the diversion of water from Lake Michigan by Chicago for sanitary purposes and a suggestion by W. F. Maclean, Conservative, South York, Ontario, that some "of these super-power interests" might be behind the motion.

The latter allegation was hotly denied by Mr. Bristol, who declared he was acting solely for the Premier of Ontario.

In introducing his resolution, Mr. Bristol declared diversion of water could be increased to 80,000 cubic feet per second without the installation of remedial works, and that by taking more water from above the falls, the destruction of the beauty of the falls by erosion would be prevented.

CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON

Hon. Charles Stewart said the diversion at Chicago was receiving consideration. He had recently been to Washington to discuss the subject and had found the United States Government much concerned to preserve the beauty of the falls.

He then announced the action taken to form a joint committee.

Premier King told the House that when Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador to the United States, was in Ottawa recently the Government had discussed with him the diversion of water at Chicago and he had assured the Government everything possible was being done to protect the interests of Canada. He had suggested, however, that too much should not be said about the matter at the present time.

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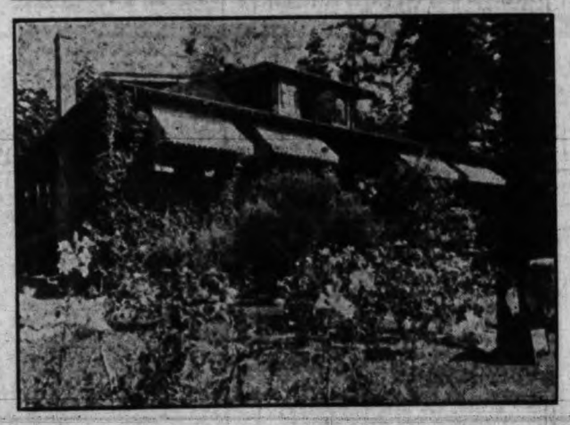
Labor Delegates In Geneva Are Debating Problems

Geneva, June 1 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's)—Delegates from widely-separated parts of the British Empire, including Tom Moore, president of the Canadian Trades and Labor Congress, took an active part in the debate at yesterday's session of the International Labor Conference here when the report of Albert Thomas, director of the International Labor Office, was up for discussion. One delegate from South Africa was extremely eulogistic of the director's report, but a "workers' delegates" from Australia declared the report lacked information in the "direction the workers should follow."

Mr. Moore said he could not reach definite conclusions, but he spoke at some length, saying in Canada certain educational systems commended the labor office study.

SOME CHARMING VICTORIA HOMES AND GARDENS



BUTCHART'S GARDENS

One sunny afternoon with some kind friends,
I went to where the glorious Arm of Saanich bends,
And feasted eyes and soul on banks of flowers,
With smooth green lawns, shady artistic bowers,
The winding paths, the ponds, the waterfall,
The grey rocks lend their grandeur to it all;
The many plants and trees which art and time
Have merged into a scene both wondrous and sublime;
And when we view the sight our hearts are filled
With praise and thanks to those large hearts who willed
To make a Paradise without alloy,
That all their fellow mortals may enjoy.
With kindred thoughts and friendship's flowing measure,
Closes for me a day of complete pleasure
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Brentwood

Special to The Times

Brentwood, June 1.—A military five hundred party was given by the Women's Institute on Saturday evening in the Institute Hall. Seven tables were in play, and those successful in winning first prize were Mrs. Freeland, Mrs. T. Peden, Miss G. Sluggett and Mr. B. Fox, with thirty flags. The consolation went to Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Overton, Mr. T. Walker and Mr. S. Sidwell. Refresments were served by the ladies' committee, bringing a very enjoyable evening to a close.

Mr. Sid Fox is able to be around again after an attack of lumbago.

Miss May Hole has returned to Marshfield, Oregon, after a ten days' visit to her home on Clark Avenue.

Mr. Fred Richardson is spending a few days at Sooke.

The second of the series of Summer dances to be given by the West Saanich Athletic Association will take place on Thursday, June 3. Pitts' three-piece orchestra has been engaged and dancing will be from 9 to 1 o'clock. Refreshments will be served and a good time is assured to all attending.

Mr. Arthur Petch left last week for Atlin, where he will spend the Summer months.

She Had Suffered Since Childhood

Newfoundland Lady Found Relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills

Mrs. L. Best Had Suffered From the Age of Ten Years From Bladder Trouble.

Southern Harbor, Nfld., May 31 (Special)—Once again Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved their inestimable value to suffering women. Mrs. L. Best of this place suffered with bladder trouble since she was a child. She writes: "I have had bladder trouble since I was ten years of age. I was treated by doctors until I was thirty and was only better for a time. My husband told me how Dodd's Kidney Pills had relieved him so I bought five boxes. I am better now."

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SCOTTISH COLLEGE TO CONFER DEGREE ON B.C. GOVERNOR

The honorary degree of LL.D. is being conferred upon His Honor Lieutenant-Governor R. Randolph Bruce by the University of Glasgow, according to word received here last night. Mr. Bruce studied at the famous Scottish institution as a young man and carries its degrees of B.Sc. and C.E.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES

TUESDAY, JUNE 1

CFCT (329.5) Victoria, B.C.
9 p.m.—Discussion on "Vaccination," Miss Ederton and Alderman E. S. Woodward.

CFDC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
6.30 p.m.—Capitol Theatre organ programme.
8.50-9.30 p.m.—Studio programme.
9.30-10.30 p.m.—Tickletoe orchestra.

CFCQ (411) Vancouver, B.C.
7.30-8.30 p.m.—An hour of music.
11.30-1 a.m.—Dance music.

CFXC (291) New Westminster, B.C.
6-7 p.m.—Studio programme.

CFYC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
4.30-5.30 p.m.—Studio programme.

CNRV (291) Vancouver, B.C.
7.30 p.m.—Health talk.
9 p.m.—Studio programme presented by the McIntyre string quartette.
10.309 p.m.—Dance orchestra with intermission soloist.

CJKC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
4.30-5.30 p.m.—Programme.

KGO (361) Oakland, Cal.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music.

KPO (428) San Francisco, Cal.
8 p.m.—James Lono's Hawaiian orchestra.
9-10 p.m.—Gypsy and Marta, harmony team, and the Mona Motor Oil trio.
10-11 p.m.—Palace Hotel dance orchestra.

KFWB (252) Hollywood, Cal.
8 p.m.—Blue Ribbon orchestra and assisting soloists.
9 p.m.—Bill Hatch and his Oakmount Country Club orchestra and assisting artists.
10-11 p.m.—Warner Bros.' frolic.

KFWI (226) So. San Francisco, Cal.
11-1 a.m.—Paul Kelli's Il Trovatore orchestra.

KHQ (395) Spokane, Wash.
8 p.m.—Instrumental trio courtesy programme.
9 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
10 p.m.—Davenport Hotel orchestra; dance music.

KOWW (256) Walla Walla, Wash.
7-7.30 p.m.—Weather, markets, home help and recipes.
8 p.m.—Studio programme.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music.

KTAB (240) Oakland, Cal.
8-9 p.m.—Music and lecture by Stockton artists.

KJR (384) Seattle, Wash.
5.40-6 p.m.—Closing New York stock quotations.
7 p.m.—Children's hour, followed by musical programme by Cornish ensemble.
8.30-10 p.m.—Henry Damski's orchestra.

KFOA (455) Seattle, Wash.
6-6.30 p.m.—Atwater-Kent Boys.
6.45-7 p.m.—American Institute of Banking.
7-8 p.m.—Olympic Calpet Refining Company.
8 p.m.—Sports talk.
8.15 p.m.—Studio programme.
8.45-10 p.m.—Studio programme.

KFI (467) Los Angeles, Cal.
5.30-11 p.m.—Continuous varied programme.

KNX (337) Hollywood, Cal.
8 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
10 p.m.—Ray West's Cocoanut Grove orchestra.

KGW (492) Portland, Ore.
8-10 p.m.—Educational programme.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music from the Multnomah Hotel.

KTBI (294) Los Angeles, Cal.
7.15-8 p.m.—Aunt Martha's children's hour.
8-9 p.m.—Studio programme.

KQW (227) San Jose, Cal.
6.30 p.m.—U.S. Department of Agriculture programme.
7 p.m.—California Farm Bureau evening radio news.

KFAU (275) Boise, Idaho
7-9 p.m.—Musical programme.

BILL IS DELAYED

Ottawa, June 1.—Legislation designed to transfer to Alberta control of its natural resources will not be taken up this session of Parliament. Premier King so stated in the House of Commons yesterday in answer to a question.

Sacramento, Cal., June 1.—More than 1,000 persons were made homeless when a fire, starting in a Chinese building, totally destroyed the historic Chinatown and cannery district of Isleton last yesterday, causing losses estimated at $400,000.

One person, Tony Berry, a cannery worker, was injured.

PREMIERS TO CONFER

Ottawa, June 1.—The conference of provincial Premiers, which has been postponed, will be held here June 7. The conference has been summoned by the Premiers themselves, and not under the auspices of the Federal Government. Several questions are on the programme, including succession duties, the definition of fields of taxation and provincial subsidies.

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Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, June 1 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—The general stock list was subjected to considerable profit-taking and selling for short account. Selling was probably influenced by advance of call loans to five per cent, but the market digested selling in an impressive manner, and recessions that were in order were recovered in good part in the afternoon session. The action of Mack Truck directors in declaring the regular dividend was followed by heavy pressure on the motor shares, but an improved demand developed in this group following the firming tendency in main body of stocks. Developments over week were without special significance. Oil production showed an increase as expected but offsetting this announcement was made of an advance of gasoline in the Chicago district and another barometer of good business was found in May statement of mail order houses.

New York, June 1 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct Wall Street wire)—The Wall Street Journal's stock market edition this afternoon says: Bullish sentiment created in trading circles by the market's recent improvement was somewhat dampened on Wall Street's return from it's three day vacation by an advance in call money to 5 per cent. After renewals had been arranged at 4 per cent. The exercised considerable restraint upon speculative enthusiasm and the volume of trading fell off considerably from last week's pace. Among issues the majority maintained a fairly firm front. Total dividend and interest payments for June first exceeded $850,000,000. In anticipation of this heavy requirements, the banks increased the borrowing rate to 5 per cent. In view of this, the local banks were forced to call between $15,000,000 and $18,000,000 of loans early in the day. The result was that the call rate rose to the above rate.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, June 1 (By R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)—Wheat: Distinct weakness in Liverpool and better weather in the Northwest attracted a rush of selling at the outset and prices declined sharply. Offerings soon subsided and the development of good buying through leading commission houses brought about a brisk recovery to higher levels. Strength in cash wheat, especially in the Southwest, couple with the apparently stable technical condition of the pit accounted for the rally. Private experts estimated Winter wheat production as of June 1 from 532,000,000 to 582,000,000 with the average of three experts approximately 571,000,000 bushels.

Chicago, June 1.—(By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct pit wire).—Wheat opened weak and as much as 2 cents lower with July leading. Overnight longs and locals sold freely but there was a good commission house buying and the decline was more than regained later when shorts started to cover and found that commission houses had absorbed the surplus in the pit.

Liverpool closed 3 to 3¼d lower than Saturday.

Export demand at the seaboard was slow.

Corn sold at new low on the crop early but rallied in sympathy with wheat.

Cash demand slow.

The spot basis here unchanged to 2 cents lower.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
July	135-4	137-7	135	137-2
Sept.	131-4	132-7	131-1	132-2
Dec.	134	135-4	133-7	134-7
Corn—				
July	70-6	71-3	70-4	70-6
Sept.	75	75-3	74-5	74-7
Oats—				
May	39-6	40	39-6	39-6
Sept.	40-4	40-5	40-4	40-5

CALGARY OIL STOCKS
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Pacific Cons.	.40	.45
British Dominion	.65	.75
Dalhousie	3.50	3.55
Great West	1.25	1.25
Illinois Alberta	1.70	1.75
Mill City	.62	.70
Royalite	275.00	275.00
Signal Hill	.40	.46
Alberta Associated	1.00	1.75
High River	.50	.55
Midwest	.70	.75
McDougal Segur, new	1.35	1.50
Rose Oil	4.20	4.20
Turner Valley	.60	.65
Urban	.30	.30
Madison	1.15	1.20
United	2.65	2.70
United	2.65	2.70
Vulcan	4.00	4.10
Advance	.60	.70
Black Diamond	.45	.43
Cherokee	.45	.50

Montreal Stocks
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Last
Asbestos, pref., new	77-4
Abitibi	73
Asbestos, new	23-6
Atlantic Sugar	24-7
Bell Telephone	135-6
Brazilian Traction	96-6
B.C. Fish. & Pack.	67
Brompton Paper	31-2
Can. Cement, com.	102
Do., pref.	113-4
Can. Car Fdy., com.	37
Do., pref.	79-4
Can. S.S., com.	18-3
Do., pref.	71
Can. Cottons	114
Can. Converters	90
Cons. M. & S.	211
Dom. Bridge	94-4
Can. Ind. Alcohol	19-1
Dom. Glass	98
Dom. Textile	92
Howard Smith	44
Lake of Woods Milling	143-4
Laurentide Co.	86-4
Mackay Co.	130
Montreal Power	227
National Breweries	61
Ontario Steel	70
Ogilvie Milling Co.	175
Ottawa Power	97-5
Penmans Limited	182-4
Shawinigan	183
Spanish River Pulp	98
Do., pref.	109
Steel of Can.	101
Royal Bank	249-4
Twin City Elec.	74-5

NEW YORK SUGAR
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	Open	High	Low	Close
March	2.71	2.72	2.69	2.71
May	2.76	2.78	2.78	2.78
July	2.46	2.46	2.42	2.42
Sept.	2.59	2.59	2.55	2.56
Sept.	2.59	2.59	2.55	2.56
Dec.	2.70	2.70	[illegible]	[illegible]

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, JUNE 1, 1926

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

	High	Low	Last
Allis Chalmers	80	80	80
Allied Chem.	117-4	116-4	116-4
Am. Beet Sugar	22-2	22-2	22-2
Am. Bosch Mag.	20-2	20	20-2
Am. Can	46-3	45-4	45-5
Am. Car & Foundry	96	96	96
Am. Intl. Corp.	36	36	36
Am. Linseed	29-4	29-4	29-4
Am. Locomotive	99-2	98-4	98-6
Am. Smelters	118-6	117	117-1
Am. Steel Foundry	40-4	40-4	40-4
Am. Sugar	69-2	68-6	69-2
Am. Sum. Tob.	14-4	14-4	14-4
Am. Tel. & Tel.	149-7	149-2	149-4
Am. Tobacco	116	116	116
Do., B	115-1	114-7	114-7
Am. Woolens	24-6	24-6	24-6
Anaconda	45-6	45-2	45-2
Armour A.	13-7	13-7	13-7
Atlantic Gulf	39	39	39
Atchison	139-7	137-2	137-2
Baldwin Loco.	106-6	106	106-4
Baltimore & Ohio	90-6	89-6	89-6
Bethlehem Steel	40-1	39-4	39-4
Brooklyn Manhattan	67	67	67
California Packing	134-4	134-4	134-4
California Pete.	33-2	33	33
Canadian Pacific	159	158	158
Central Leather	10	10	10
Cerro de Pasco	63-3	62-3	62-3
Chandler, pref.	29-6	29-6	29-6
Chesapeake & Ohio	128-6	127-2	127-2
Chic. Gt. Western	8-6	8-6	8-6
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	11-1	11	11
Chic. & Northwest.	72-6	72-4	72-6
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	50-4	49-6	49-6
Chrysler Motor	31-2	30-4	30-5
Coca Cola	153-6	153	153
Colo. Fuel & Iron	41-2	40	40
Columbia Gas	80-7	80	80
Cons. Gas	96	94-7	94-7
Cent. Can	75	74-6	74-6
Cont. Oil	20-1	20-1	20-1
Cont. Motor	10-2	10-1	10-2
Corn Products	42-4	42	42-1
Cosden Oil	33-2	32-2	33-2
Crucible Steel	70-2	70	70
Cuba Am. Sugar	25-4	25-4	25-4
Davison Chem.	38-4	37-2	38-3
Del., Lack. & West.	139	139	139
Dodge Bros.	24-6	24-3	24-4
Do., pref.	83-3	82-6	83-3
Dupont Powder	211-5	209-6	211
Elec. Power	17-2	17-2	17-2
Engineer Gold	12-4	12-4	12-4
Erie	33-4	33-1	33-2
Do., 1st pref.	40-4	40-2	40-2
Famous Players	123-7	122-4	123
Fisher Body	82-6	82	82-6
Foundation Co.	91-4	90-4	90-4
Fleischmann Co.	46-4	45-2	45-2
General Asphalt	67	67	67
General Cigar	52-5	52-5	52-5
Gen. Electric	320	317-6	317-6
Gen. Motors	124-6	123-2	123-6
Gen. Petroleum	65-4	64-6	64-6
Goodrich Rubber	48-6	47-5	47-5
Granby	19-1	19-1	19-1
Great North. Ore	19-3	19-3	19-3
Do., pref.	75	74-4	74-5
Gt. West Sug.	96	96	96
Gulf States Steel	72-2	71-4	71-4
Houston Oil	62	62	62
Howe Sound	33-7	33-5	33-5
Hudson Motor	65-1	63-3	63-4
Illinois Central	120	120	120
Imperial Oil	36-6	36-6	36-6
Inspiration	22-3	22-3	22-3
Int. Comb. Eng.	52	51-2	51-2
Int. Pete.	35-1	35-1	35-1
Int. Mer. Marine	8-2	8-2	8-2
Do., pref.	37-4	37-4	37-4
Int. Nickel	35-7	35-3	35-3
Int. Tel. & Tel.	123-3	122-4	123-4
Kan. City South.	42	41-6	41-6
Kennicott Copper	53-6	53-4	53-4
Louisiana Oil	17	17	17
Louis. & Nash.	127	126-4	126-4
Mack Truck	114	110-4	110-6
Manhattan Elec.	74-7	74	74-2
Marland Oil	58-2	57-4	57-5
Mex. Seaboard	8-3	8-3	8-5
Miami	11-4	11-4	11-4
Miss. Pacific	34-2	33	33-2
Do., pref.	85	84	84-4
Montana Power	77	77	77
Montgomery Ward	64-6	62-6	62-7
Moon Motor	23-4	23-2	22-4
Motherlode	6	6	6
Motor Meter	38	38	38
Motor Wheel	24	24	24
Nash Motors	49-7	49-4	49-4
National Biscuit	88-7	88-7	88-7
Nat. Cash Register	43	42-6	43
Nat. Dairy Prod.	63-3	62-1	62-1
National Lead	148-4	146-4	148-4
Norfolk & West.	147	147	147
North American	49-7	49-4	49-5
Northern Pacific	72-6	72-1	72-1
N.Y. Central	128	126-6	126-6
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	39-4	38-6	38-6
N.Y., Ont. & West.	23-6	23-6	23-6
Packard Motor	35-3	34-5	35-2
Pacific Oil	51-4	51-4	51-4
Pan American	70-2	70	70
Do., B.	72	70-7	70-7
Pennsylvania R.R.	53-4	53-2	53-2
People's Gas	120-6	120-6	120-6
Pere Marquette	87-2	87-2	87-2
Phil. Reading Coal	37-6	37-2	37-4
Phillips Pete.	46-3	46	46
Pierce Arrow	25	23-4	24
Producers & Ref.	14-4	14-2	14-4
Pullman Co.	169-3	169-3	169-3
Pure Oil	28-3	28-1	28-2
Radio	45-4	44-1	44-1
Rail. Steel Spring	64-2	64-2	64-2
Ray Cons.	13-1	13-1	13-1
Reading	87-3	85-5	85-5
Rep. Iron & Steel	49	49	49
Royal Dutch	53-4	53-4	53-4
Savage Arms	80	80	80
Schultz	46-4	46-4	46-4
Sears Roebuck	48-5	47-2	47-2
Shell Union	26-2	25-7	25-7
Sinclair Cons.	23	22-5	22-6
Sloss Sheffield	125-2	125-2	125-2
Southern Pac.	100-3	100-1	100-1
Southern Railway	114-4	114	114
Standard Gas	53-4	53-2	53-2
Standard Oil Cal.	59	58-5	58-6
Standard Oil N.J.	44-7	44-6	44-6
Standard Oil Ind.	65-2	65-2	65-2
Stewart Warner	71-5	71-5	71-5
St. Louis & San Fran.	95-4	94-7	94-7
Stromburg Carb.	59-7	59-7	59-7
Studebaker	52-2	51-2	51-3
Tennessee Copper	11-5	11-5	11-5
Texas Co.	53-4	53-2	53-2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	133-7	133-2	133-2
Texas Pacific R.R.	54-6	54-6	54-6
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	14-5	14-4	14-5
Timken Roller	50-6	50-1	50-1
Tobacco Prod.	101	101	101
Do., A.	108-7	108-7	108-7
Transcont. Oil	3-7	3-6	3-7
Union Pacific x.d.	147-5	147-5	147-5
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	168-4	168-4	168-4
U.S. Ind. Alco.	51	51	51
U.S. Rubber	54-7	53-4	53-4
U.S. Steel x.d.	124-4	122-7	122-7
Universal Pipe	18-6	18-4	18-4
Vanadium	34-2	34	34-1
Wabash	72-7	72-7	72-7
Western Union	143-6	143-6	143-6
Western Pacific	37	37	37
Westing. Elec.	67-4	67-2	67-2
White Motor	56-2	55-4	55-5
Willys Overland	23-4	22-5	22-6
Do., pref.	94-6	94-6	94-6
Woolworth	146-4	144-4	144-4
Worth. Pump	25-7	25-7	25-7
Youngston Sh. & Tu.	74-2	74	74

To-day's Mining Markets

There was a scramble to-day for Dunwell stock on the local market, with 2,350 shares going through at prices starting at $1.87 and up to $1.90. Vancouver was found to be clean of Dunwell under $2, while the market looked about the same here with the lowest offerings being at $2.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
Mining—		
B.C. Silver	1.95	2.20
Dunwell Mines	1.85	2.00
Glacier Creek	.05	.09½
Gladstone	.34	.34½
Gleaner	..	.50
Howe Sound	33.00	36.00
Independence	..	.10
Indian Mines	.05	.06
International Coal	.15	.18
Lakeview	..	.04
Lucky Jim	.14	.19
Marmot Metals	.07	.10
Porter Idaho	.10	.11½
Premier Mines	2.10	2.20
Rufus	..	.11½
Selkirks	..	.04½
Silverado	.30	.50
Leadsmith	.08	.09¾
Goldsmith	.17	.21
Richmond	.08	.09
Malaspina	.12	.15
Silver Crest Mines	.12	.15
Silversmith	.48	.50
Terminus	..	.25
Victoria	..	.25
Miscellaneous—		
B.C. Permanent Loan	105.00	108.00
B.C. Electric	101.00	103.00

Sales

500	Dunwell	1.87
200	Dunwell	1.87
150	Dunwell	1.90
500	Dunwell	1.90
1,000	Dunwell	1.90
500	Porter Idaho	.10
500	Leadsmith	.09½
1,000	Independence	.08¾
200	B.C. Silver	2.00
500	Silversmith	.49½
1,000	Silversmith	.50
500	Silversmith	.50
500	Silversmith	.50

VANCOUVER
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	2.00	2.03
Bayview	..	.10
Cons. Mining & Smelting	210.00	..
Dunwell	1.78	..
Forty-nine	.12	.16
Glacier	..	.11
Gladstone	.34½	.40
Hazelton	..	.01¼
Howe Sound	33.50	35.00
Indian	5	6
International Coal	.16	.18
L. & L. Glacier	.09¾	.12
Lucky Jim	.14	.17
National Silver	.13½	.17½
Premier	2.14	2.18
Ruth Hope	..	.33
Silver Crest	.12	.14
Silversmith	.48½	.50
Selkirks	.03	.04½
Surf Inlet	.07	.09
B.C. Montana	.00¼	.00¾
Porter Idaho	.08	.09
Independence	.08¾	.09
British Pete.	.19	.22

TORONTO
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Barry	46	..
Goldale	28	..
Dome	1420	..
Teck Hughes	370	..
Preston	5	..
Newray	38	..
Premier	211	212
Vipond	162	..

SPOKANE
(By R. F. Castle & Company)

	Bid	Asked
Ajax	.26	.31
Ambergris	.13	..
Caledonia	.07½	..
Callahan Zinc-Lead	1.70	2.05
Gladstone Mountain	.34	.35
Goldsmith	.18	.20
Hecla	16.00	18.00
Leadsmith	.09½	.10
Lucky Jim	.13½	.14¾
Marsh Cons.	.08	..
Premier Gold	2.12	2.20
Richmond Cons.	.07½	.08¾
Silversmith	.49½	.51
Standard	.07	.16
Stratton	.27½	.35
Sunshine	.22½	.25
Tamarack	.35	.40
Western Union	.03¾	.04½

Cleaning Windshield

The easiest and best way to clean a windshield is to wipe it off with a wet chamois and then rub it dry with a clean cloth. A little kerosene in the water will help if the glass is very dirty. This method of cleaning glass is to be recommended for closed cars as it does not scratch.

VICTORY BONDS
VICTORIA PRICES

	Buy Per $100	Sell Per $100
Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927 1st June and Dec.	100.90	101.90
1933 1st May and Nov.	104.75	105.75
1934 1st June and Dec.	107.80	108.80
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1931 1st April and Oct.	101.65	102.65
1937 1st March and Sept.	103.25	104.25
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1927 1st May and Nov.	100.40	101.40
1932 1st May and Nov.	102.25	103.25
1934 1st May and Nov.	102.95	103.95
Dominion Loan		
1928 15th April and Oct.	99.90	100.90
1943 15th April and Oct.	101.55	102.55
1940 1st March and Sept.	95.45	96.45
1944 15th April and Oct.	95.70	96.70
1954 1st Feb. and Aug.	....	105.00

Add accrued interest to date—1927, 1937, coupon due; 1927, 1932, 1933, 1934, 31 days, .467 per $100; 1928, 1943, 47 days, .644 per $100; 1944, 47 days, .579 per $100.

METAL MARKET

London, June 1.—Standard copper, spot, £56 7s 6d; futures, £57 5s 6d.

Electrolytic, spot, £64; futures, £64 10s 6d.

Tin, spot, £266 2s 6d; futures, £264 12s 6d.

Lead, spot, £29 3s 6d; futures, £29 10s.

Zinc, spot, £32 2s 6d; futures, £32 12s 6d.

New York, June 1.—Copper dull; electrolytic, spot and futures, 13⅞ to 14.

Tin irregular; spot and nearby, 60.00; futures, 59.50.

Iron steady; No. 1 Nor., 21.50 to 22.00; No. 2 Nor., 20.00 to 21.00; No. 2 Sou., 22.00 to 23.00.

Lead steady; spot, 7.65.

Zinc firm; East St. Louis spot and futures, 6.95 to 7.00.

Antimony, 9.50.

NEW YORK CURB
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Industrials—		
Acme Coal	5	25
Centrifugal	18¼	18½
Checker Cab	4	10
Durant Del.	4⅝	4⅞
Mesabi	1⅝	1⅞
Stutz	28½	29
Reo	20	20¼
Tob. Prod. Ex.	3⅛	4
Un. Profit Shar.	11⅛	11⅝
Un. Retail Candy	6⅛	6⅜
Cities Serv., com.	40½	40⅝
Cities Serv., pref.	86⅛	86¼
Cities Serv. Bkrs.	20	20⅝
Am. Gas El.	73	74
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	13½	13⅝
Oils—		
Carib	13⅝	13⅞
Glenrock	10	25
Int. Pete.	34⅞	35
Marl. Mex.	2	2½
Mexico Oil	10	11
Cont'l Oil	20⅝	20⅞
Pennock Oil	19¼	20⅝
Ryan Cons.	6½	6⅞
Sapulpa	1	1½
Salt Cr. Prod.	31	31½
Salt Cr. Cons.	8½	8⅝
Wilcox	28	29
CLY	13	13¼
Mining—		
Ariz. Globe	6	9
Butte & W.	..	10
Cal. Jerome	6	10
Cons. Copper	2⅛	2⅜
Cresson	2⅛	2¼
Delores	42	60
Hecla	16	16½
Hollinger	19	19⅝
J. V. Devel.	50	55
Kerr Lake	1	1¼
Mason Valley	1⅜	1⅝
Nipissing	5⅝	5⅞
Ohio Copper	56	60
Teck Hughes	3 11-16	3 13-16
Un. Eastern	30	35
Un. Verde Ex.	27½	27⅝
Wayne Coal	6	10

NEW YORK COTTON
(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Open	High	Low	Last
Jan.	17.51	17.59	17.49	17.50
March	17.67	17.70	17.60	17.60
July	18.42	18.46	18.36	18.36
Oct.	17.68	17.70	17.59	17.60
Dec.	17.62	17.65	17.54	17.56

Gas Is Important

Good gasoline is essential to freedom from engine repairs. A large percentage of gasoline sold to-day is a blend of naphtha and casing-head gasoline, a fuel distilled from natural gas. The naphtha content does not burn as it should and so leaps past the rings to dilute the oil in the engine. The owner of a car using such cheap gas runs the same risk as he would if he bought the lowest grade of lubricating oil.

When starting trouble remember it takes much longer to end it.

The best thing to give a seasick man is an island

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, June 1.—Shorts covering, following higher values at Chicago, resulted in the local wheat market regaining early losses, and closing quotations recorded gains ranging from ¼ to ⅝, with July at 147⅝ and October at 130½.

In the early trade the market acted decidedly heavy, and under short selling prices declined 1½ under Monday's close. Buyers were rather difficult to find during the first part of the day, but there were not sufficient supplies to fill the demand later without bidding prices up. Exporters and seaboard houses were moderate buyers.

There was a little export trade in oats to-day, but other coarse grains showed little feature and all closed fractionally lower.

Cash grains continued without special feature.

Winnipeg, June 1 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Extensive short covering by early sellers forced sharp rallies of about 2⅛ cents from the break of the first hour, and while the full advance was not held the market closed ⅛ to ⅝ higher for July and October, respectively. Market was heavy and about one cent lower during the early period with the local crowd bearish and pressing and with buyers scarce. Chicago led in the upward line based on poor crop reports coming out of Kansas from private sources and forced the shorts to cover.

Winnipeg, June 1 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct pit wire).—After a weak opening due to selling pressure by locals market encountered good class of buying and soon recovered the early loss.

Less optimistic reports from the American Winter wheat areas caused short covering which sent the market to 1¼ cents over yesterday's close.

All of the advance was not maintained but market closed firm with fractional advances. There was evidence of good export business although the seaboard reported no demand from Liverpool owing to apprehension regarding the coal strike.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
July	146⅛	148⅝	145⅞	147⅝
Oct.	129⅝	131	129	130½
Oats—				
July	48½	48⅞	48⅛	48⅝
Oct.	45⅝	46	45⅝	46
Barley—				
July	62⅝	63⅛	62⅝	63⅛
Oct.	..	..	..	62½
Flax—				
July	193	193	191½	192½
Oct.	197	197	196¼	196⅝
Rye—				
July	84½	86⅛	84½	85½
Oct.	..	..	..	86⅝

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 Nor., 150⅛; 2 Nor., 145⅝; 3 Nor., 140⅝; No. 4, 132⅛; No. 5, 121⅝; No. 6, 102⅝; feed, 88⅝; track, 148⅝; screenings, $3 a ton.

Oats—2 C.W., 49⅝; 3 C.W., 45⅛; extra 1 feed, 45⅛; 1 feed, 43⅛; 2 feed, 40⅛; rejected, 38; track, 48⅝.

Barley—3 C.W., 61⅝; 4 C.W., 59⅝; rejected, 57⅛; feed, 56⅝; track, 61⅝.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 190⅝; 2 C.W., 186⅛; 3 C.W., 172⅛; rejected, 162⅛; track, 190⅝.

Rye—2 C.W., 84.

Retail Market

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Vegetables

Celery, stick	.20
Local Potatoes, 6 lbs. for	.25
Carrots, 15 lbs.	.25
Spinach, 5 lbs. for	.25
New Local Potatoes, per lb.	.10
Netted Gem Potatoes	2.75
Local Potatoes	2.75
Green Peas, lb.	.25
Asparagus, lb.	.25
Tomatoes, local, per lb.	.40

Fruit

Apples—	
Local Apples, 4 lbs. for	.25
Jonathan, 3 lbs. for	.25
Delicious	.10
Newton Pippin, 3 lbs. for	.25
Spitzenberg, 3 lbs. for	.25
Local Strawberries, basket	.25
Gooseberries, lb.	.15
Cantaloupes, each	.25
Cherries, per lb.	.40
Pineapples, each	.35
Bananas, doz. .60	.60
Lemons, Cal., doz. .20, .30	.35
Grapefruit, California, 3 for	.25
New Navel Oranges, doz. .30, .40, .50	.20
Florida Grapefruit	.20
Rhubarb, fresh, per lb.	.05
Dates, 2 lbs.	.25
Smyrna Figs .30, .40 and	.50

Nuts

Almonds, per lb.	.35
Walnuts, per lb.	.35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	.45
Brazils, new, per lb.	.30
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.	.15
Chestnuts, lb.	.30

Dairy Produce and Eggs

Butter—	
Best Alberta cartons	.45
Comox, lb.	.49
V.I.M.P.A.	.48
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.50
Salt Spring Island, lb.	.47
Pure Lard, lb.	.23
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh, extras	.33
B.C. fresh, firsts	.30

Cheese

B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.	.45
B.C. Solids, lb.	.35
Finest Ontario Mild, per lb.	.35
Finest Ontario Matured, per lb.	.40
Edam Dutch Cheese, per lb.	.65
Gouda Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gorgonzola, per lb.	.75
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.55
English Stilton, jar	.90
English Stilton, lb.	.45
Canadian Stilton, lb.	.40
Imported Roquefort, per lb.	.65
Swiss Gruyere, box	.55
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.55
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese, two packages	.75

Fish

Bloaters, 2 lbs.	.25
Cod Fillets, per lb.	.17
Fresh Halibut, per lb.	.24
Soles, lb.	.15
Black Cod, fresh, per lb.	.15
Skate, per lb.	.12½
Cod, per lb.	.15
Kippers, per lb.	.15
Finnan Haddies, per lb.	.20
Smoker Black Cod, per lb.	.25
Whiting	.15
Red Spring Salmon, per lb.	.25
White Spring Salmon, per lb.	.20
Smoked Salmon, per lb.	.40

Shell Fish

Crabs .15, .20 to	.25
Shrimps, per lb.	.35
Esquimalt Oysters, per dozen	.65
Olympia Oysters, per pint	.90

Fresh Meats

Pork—	
Trimmed loins, per lb.	.42
Legs, per lb.	.35
Shoulder roasts, per lb.	.30
Pork Sausages, per lb.	.27
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin Steak, per lb.	.35
Round Steak, per lb.	.25
Pot roasts, per lb. .12 and	.15
Rump Roasts, per lb.	.25
Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.28
Legs, per lb.	.42
Loins, full, per lb.	.42
Prime Mutton—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.24
Legs, per lb.	.35
Loins, full, per lb.	.32
Rabbits, local, per lb.	.29

Flour

Flour, all standard brands, 49s	2.45
Flour, pastory, 49s	2.20

Feed

	Per ton	Per sack
Wheat, No. 1	$58.00	$3.00
Wheat, No. 3	54.00	2.80
Scratch	52.00	2.70
Whole Barley	40.00	2.10
Whole Corn	50.00	2.60
Cracked Corn	52.00	2.70
Feed Cornmeal	52.00	2.70
Whole Oats	40.00	2.10
Shorts	37.00	1.95
Bran	35.00	1.85
Grd Oats	42.00	2.20
Cr Oats	42.00	2.20

SILVER

New York, June 1.—Bar silver, 65; Mexican dollars, 49⅝.

London, June 1.—Bar silver, 30 1-16d per ounce. Money, 4 per cent. Discount rates: Short and three months' bills, 4 5-16 per cent.

Money Market To-day

New York, June 1.—Call money strong, high 5, low 4, ruling rate 4, closing bid 4, offered at 5¼, last loan 5, call loans against acceptances 3½. Time loans steady, mixed collateral 60-90 days 4, 4-6 months 4.

Prime mercantile paper 4.

New York, June 1.—Canadian Pacific Railway net earnings after taxes $2,149,639, against $1,488,600 in April, 1925.

Chicago, June 1.—Swift & Co. declared regular quarterly $2 dividend payable July 1.

New York, June 1.—Marshall Field & Co. say in their weekly business report that current wholesale distribution of dry goods maintained about the same volume as last week and exceeded the same period of a year ago.

New York, June 1.—Block Maloney to-day say: We think the trend of stocks is upward. The short interest still appears to be large. Fundamentals are sound and latest indications point to some improvement in the European situation.

Hornblower and Weeks say: The tone of the market will, undoubtedly, remain strong with specialties continuing their movements into higher ground.

Detroit, June 1.—Chrysler Corporation to-day announced reduced prices on its larger six-cylinder motor cars.

We Own and Offer Subject:

$ 5,000 Dominion of Canada guar. C.N.R. 5% of 1954	at	$103.00
5,000 Prov. of Alberta guar. E. D. & B.C. Rly 4½% of 1944	at	95.50
5,000 City of Edmonton 5% of 1954	at	96.35
10,000 City of Port Alberni 5½% of 1936	at	96.19
5,000 Canada Biscuit Co. 6½% of 1946	at	100.00
5,000 United States of Brazil 6½% of 1957	at	92.00

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TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Canadian sterling—Buying $4.84¼, selling $4.87¼.

Japanese yen, 47.2 cents.

Chinese tael (Shanghai), 71.7 cents.

New York, June 1.—Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents:

Great Britain—Demand 486, cables 486½, 60-day bill. on banks 482⅛.

France — Demand 3.26½, cables 3.27½.

Italy—Demand 3.80, cables 3.81.
Belgium—Demand 3.16½.
Germany—Demand 23.80.
Holland—Demand 40.16.
Norway—Demand 21.91.
Sweden—Demand 26.75.
Denmark—Demand 26.37.
Switzerland—Demand 19.36.
Spain—Demand 15.07.
Poland—Demand .09.
Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.96.
Jugoslavia—Demand 1.76⅝.
Austria—Demand .14125.
Rumania—Demand .43.
Argentina—Demand 40.125.
Brazil—Demand 15.19.
Tokio—Demand 47.06¼.
Shanghai—Demand 72.00.
Montreal—Demand 100.09⅜.

SUGAR

New York, June 1.—Prices were unchanged in the raw sugar market early en-day at 4.31 for Cuban, duty paid. No sales were reported. Refined sugar was unchanged at 5.55 to 5.70 for fine granulated.

Wholesale Market

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Meats

No. 1 Steer Beef	.14
Cow Beef	.12½
Veal .14 to	.22
Lamb	.30
Mutton	.22
Hogs	.22

Eggs

Fresh extras, case lots, dozen	.30
Fresh firsts, case lots, dozen	.29
Fresh pullets, case lots, dozen	.26

Butter

Best cartons	.41
No. 2 grade, prints	.38
Dairy solids	.36

Cheese

Ontario solids, lb.	.22½
Ontario solids, Sept.	.28
Ontario twins, lb.	.23½
Ontario triplets, lb.	.29
Ontario Stiltons, lb.	.33½

Lard

Tierces, per lb.	.19¾
Compound tierces, lb.	.16

Vegetables

Cabbage, per lb. .06 and	.06½
Onions, Okanagan, per sack	1.75
Onions, Spanish, per crate	6.25
Potatoes, dry belt, per sack, 3.00 and	3.25
Carrots, per sack	M.P.
Turnips, per sack	M.P.
Parsnips, per sack	M.P.

Fruits

Apples, Okanagan, per box, 1.75 to	3.25
Apples, local, per box 1.25 to	2.00
Bananas, per lb. 10 and	11
Cranberries, price per pound varies according to size and quality, per lb. 10 to	.16
Grapefruit, Calif., per case, 4.75 to	6.25
Grapefruit, Florida case .. 7.75 to	8.75
Lemons, per case 4.50 to	6.00
Navels, according to size, per case 4.25 to	5.75

Hams and Bacon

Hams 36 to	38
Bacon 42 to	49

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Vancouver, June 1.—Transactions on the Vancouver Stock Exchange this morning: 1,000 Independence at 8⅞; 576 at 9; 500 Premier at 215; 250 at 216; 100 at 218; 2,000 Porter-Idaho at 8½; 400 B.C. Silver at 200; 300 at 203.

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Bank Reports Gain of Over $16,000,000 in Accommodation to Customers—Increase in Savings Deposits Accounts for Growth in Total Deposits From $608,851,114 to $632,412,514—Profits for Six Months Higher.

The half-yearly statement of the Bank of Montreal indicates that there has been a steady expansion in the general business of the country.

For the past few years there had been a gradual improvement in many lines of industry and manufacturers lately have been reporting a tendency on the part of buyers to place large orders and this in turn has necessitated increased accommodation. Such a development has always been regarded as one of the surest signs of improvement in trade conditions.

With more business offering the Bank has found employment for a larger proportion of its funds in current loans. This condition in turn has evidently made for slightly larger earnings.

Saving Deposits also show a considerable increase, a particularly gratifying feature in a bank which has such a complete chain of branches across the entire country.

The statement, appearing as it does at the reopening of navigation, comes at an opportune time and is certain to bring increased confidence in the whole Canadian situation.

The general statement of assets and liabilities shows total assets of $749,132,357, up from $718,194,797 at the corresponding period a year ago. Of this amount liquid assets are $406,780,203, equal to 60.33% of liabilities to the public, while holdings of gold and cash of $89,520,656 are equivalent to 13.27% of public liabilities. It is in current loans that the more active business conditions are reflected, and they now total $312,336,824, as against $263,397,582 a year ago. Of this amount current loans and discounts in Canada have gained to $227,325,605, from $211,096,703, and loans to cities, towns and municipalities are $25,982,091, as against $32,123,338. This increase in loans has been taken care of by a reduction in holdings of securities. The principal accounts in this section are Dominion and Provincial Government securities, $93,456,444, compared with $99,911,141; Canadian Municipal securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public securities $33,599,867, as against $45,756,338.

It is the large gain in savings deposits which has brought total deposits up to $632,412,154, from $604,851,114. Of this amount savings deposits represent $489,464,334, and show an increase from $475,504,734.

Profit and Loss Account

With the improved trade conditions and the larger business handled, profits have also shown a tendency to increase. Profits for the six months amounted to $2,469,326, 8.25% on the capital or 4.06% upon the Capital, Rest and Profit Accounts of the Bank, as against $2,414,012 for the corresponding period in the previous year. This, added to the balance of Profit and Loss at the end of the last fiscal year, brought the total amount available for distribution up to $3,066,144. This was distributed as follows: Dividends, $1,795,002; provision for taxes, Dominion Government, $194,583; reservation for Bank Premises, $150,000; leaving a balance to be carried forward of $926,529, as against $596,788 at the end of the fiscal year.

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Head Office: MONTREAL - Established 1817

Capital Paid Up, $29,916,700 Rest, $29,916,700
Total Assets, $749,132,357

Condensed Statement of Semi-Annual Report, April 30, 1926

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
Capital Stock (all paid up)	$ 29,916,700	Specie and Government demand notes	$ 74,520,656
Rest	29,916,700	Deposit with Dominion Government for security of note circulation	1,282,241
Balance of Profits carried forward	926,529	Deposit in Central Gold Reserves	15,000,000
Unclaimed dividends and quarterly dividend payable 1st June, 1926	913,371	Notes of and cheques on other Banks	26,767,197
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	41,674,442	Due by Banks elsewhere than in Canada	17,224,880
Deposits	624,177,508	Call and short loans	142,496,656
Balances due to other Banks in Canada and foreign countries and other liabilities	8,963,783	Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	130,622,417
Bills payable	61,426	Loans and discounts and other assets	314,431,367
Letters of credit outstanding	12,581,898	Bank premises	11,950,000
		Real Estate other than Bank Premises and Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank	2,255,045
		Liabilities of customers under letters of credit (per contra)	12,581,898
	$749,132,357		$749,132,357

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED

KERR—In this city, on Saturday, May 29, James Kerr, aged thirty-nine years, of 1117 Princess Avenue.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, corner Johnson and Vancouver Streets. Rev. J. C. Goodfellow will conduct the service at 2.30 o'clock, after which interment will be made at Royal Oak Burial Park.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. Charlotte Knappett desire to express their heartfelt thanks to their many friends for kind words of sympathy and the beautiful floral tributes sent during their recent sad bereavement in the loss of a beloved mother.

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AXIOMS First United Church garden fete, Saturday, June 5, 1926, at the home of Mrs. F. C. Dillabough, 2010 Quadra Street, 2-6 p.m. Admission 25c, including afternoon tea. A good musical programme will be given during the afternoon. 609-4-143

COMING EVENTS (Continued)

B.C. sugar, 20 lbs. $1.37; pineapple, large tins, 15c; tomatoes, large cans, 14c; good brooms, 45c. E. B. Jones, cor. Cook and North Park Streets. Phone 712.

DANCE—Strawberry Vale Hall, next Thursday, June 3, 9 till 1. Ray Kinloch's orchestra. 5873-3-130

DANCE and refreshments, West Road Hall, Thursday, June 3. Pitt's orchestra. Admission 50c. 726-3-131

HAMSTERLEY-LAKESIDE Serenaders will play each Wednesday and Saturday at Hamsterley-Lakeside. "Where I wish that I was when I'm not." tf

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HELP WANTED—MALE

BOY wanted, with bicycle. James Bay Grocery, 390 Menzies Street. 5802-tf

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1923 DURANT Sport Touring, fit for Count Count o' Change to drive	$775
1923 STUDEBAKER Special; Bob's best bet	$850
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LOST—A dresser scarf, on Thursday last, with butterflies on same. Finder please notify Box 5899, Times. 5899-2-130

LOST—Gold brooch, keepsake, vicinity of Spencer's store. Phone 7731R. Reward. 723-2-130

LOST—On Hillside Avenue or Quadra Street, large cretonne bag, containing overblouse, beads, etc. Matthews' Mt. Tolmie P.O. Phone 5183R1. Reward. 730-1-129

LOST—On Sunday, May 30, black club bag, on the Sooke Road between Saseenos Station and Victoria. Finder rewarded. Phone 1481. 724-3-131

LOST—English setter dog, black head, black saddle, black on tail, black spots on white. Reward. W. R. Harris, Prendeg, Cobble Hill. 3-129

LOST—Between Hudson Bay Co. and A. Woolworth's, navy blue handbag, containing money and papers; phone 3231R. Reward. 700-3-129

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THESE WOMEN

By MALCOLM DUART

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The names and situations in this story are fictitious.

As the other girl had done, an hour before, Audrey held him by the shoulders.

"You're not old!" she protested. "You won't be old for years and years and years. And I'd rather be with you than with anybody else."

She slipped her two forefingers into his vest pockets and stood a moment, her eyes cast to the floor. "Why didn't you ever get married? Didn't you ever see anyone you wanted to marry?"

Morton's face contracted for a moment, as at a painful thought, but in a moment he was smiling again.

"Well, I've thought about it sometimes. Have you?"

He tilted her head, a crooked finger beneath her chin, and looked a moment into her eyes. She turned her head away. Then, standing on tiptoe, she bestowed a swift kiss upon his cheek, and fled into her room.

"Good-night,' she called from behind the closed door.

Thoughtfully Morton descended the stairs, and sank into the big leather chair which always awaited him, in the living-room. At three o'clock, he was still sitting there, thinking.

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For fifteen years, Harry Morton—and the girl Audrey—had interested the people of Tacoma.

When Morton first appeared there, early in the year 1910, with a little, blue-eyed, four-year-old girl holding tightly to his hand, he went directly to the Tacoma Hotel, and engaged a suite of rooms—two bedrooms, and a sitting room.

Almost at once he opened an office, with the sign: "Harry B. Morton, Broker," on the door.

Just what form of property he dealt in, his neighbors in the building were not sure. What attracted their attention, and that of the folk in the lobby of the hotel, was that presently he appeared at the wheel of the largest and showiest automobile in town. In this, on Sunday mornings, and often of a week-day afternoon, he and the little Audrey would speed away for long rides over the country roads.

When he bought a house, it was notable, not for its size, but for the number of servants that he installed in it.

By the standards of Tacoma, a home equipped with two servants had a bit of grandeur about it. Morton engaged four for his house in the outskirts—a cook, a chauffeur, a housemaid, and a personal maid for the little girl.

Naturally, there was talk; a good deal of it.

Just as naturally, much of the talk was unfriendly.

Folk in Tacoma are just as apt to be suspicious of things and theories and people that they do not understand, as are the people on Main Street, and in New York, and over the remainder of the globe.

Nobody understood Morton. He continued his business in his modest brokerage office, but Tacoma never found out exactly what that business was. Once a fortnight, and sometimes once a week, he made a journey to Seattle. Why he went, the most diligent searchers after truth were unable to learn. They knew he maintained an expensive apartment there, as well as his home in Tacoma.

Evidently he had ample means. His bankers greeted him cordially; even with a little deference. Occasionally he dabbled a bit in local real estate. His motor cars were of the finest; the appointments of his house were rich; the little girl Audrey always was dressed in fashions that came from Paris.

The gossips heard, and agreed, that Morton was a bachelor; that the little girl was his adopted child, that he was close-mouthed about his past, and about his present, to a most astounding degree, and that he was the most attractive figure among the males of Tacoma.

Further than that, there was no agreement at all. Morton himself took no pains to resolve any of their doubts. Indifferent to the talk about him in the town, he went his own way, addressing compliments to such women as he knew, offering gay companionship and hospitality to the men of his circle, giving generously to the poor in Tacoma.

Thus it came about, in course of time, that the unfriendliness toward him in Tacoma disappeared. The curiosity, however, remained.

On the day when he and Audrey returned from Seattle, a little crowd was gathered at the station to greet an incoming celebrity.

Morton smiled as he noted that he aroused as lively an interest as the arriving notable. He waved a greeting to the crowd, and Audrey smiled and nodded, as they entered their automobile.

"You're a regular prima-donna yourself," she said to him.

He laughed. "Some of these people are simply going to explode, some day, over the mystery of my visits to Seattle."

"Why don't you tell them?" she asked.

"Why should I?" he countered.

A neat housemaid opened the door of their home, and dropped a curtsey. She had come not long before from England, and held to the manners of the English household where she had been bred.

Morton strode into the study that led off the reception hall.

A man was sitting in the arm chair, beside the open fire. His head was sunk between his hunched shoulders, and his chin was on his breast. Audrey, looning over Morton's shoulder, saw him to be roughly dressed, and unprepossessing in the extreme, as Morton pulled upon the sliding door. As the door closed, she saw that the man had not risen to his feet. She heard Morton say:

"Now you explain what you're doing in my house."

CHAPTER II

The trim housemaid, waiting in the reception hall of the Morton home on Grant Avenue, was listening at the study door. So was her mistress.

They could hear the steady rumble of voices from within, where Morton and his visitor were closeted.

The words were not distinguishable, but from time to time they could make out the voice of the stranger, raised in evident denunciation. Morton's tone was even and quiet, as always.

The conference lasted nearly an hour. It ended abruptly.

The door was banged open, and the stranger, struggling, was propelled through it, Morton's hand on his collar.

The little housemaid leaped to the front door, and opened it. Morton thrust the man outside, and threw after him the shabby hat and overcoat that had hung on a hall rack.

"Now stay out," instructed Morton, calmly. "Don't try to come back and don't stay in town."

The man was swearing, under his breath. He picked up the hat and coat, and with a sidelong glance at Morton and the trembling girls, he moved down the walk and out the high iron gate. Morton stood watching him, as he turned to the sidewalk, and shuffled out of sight.

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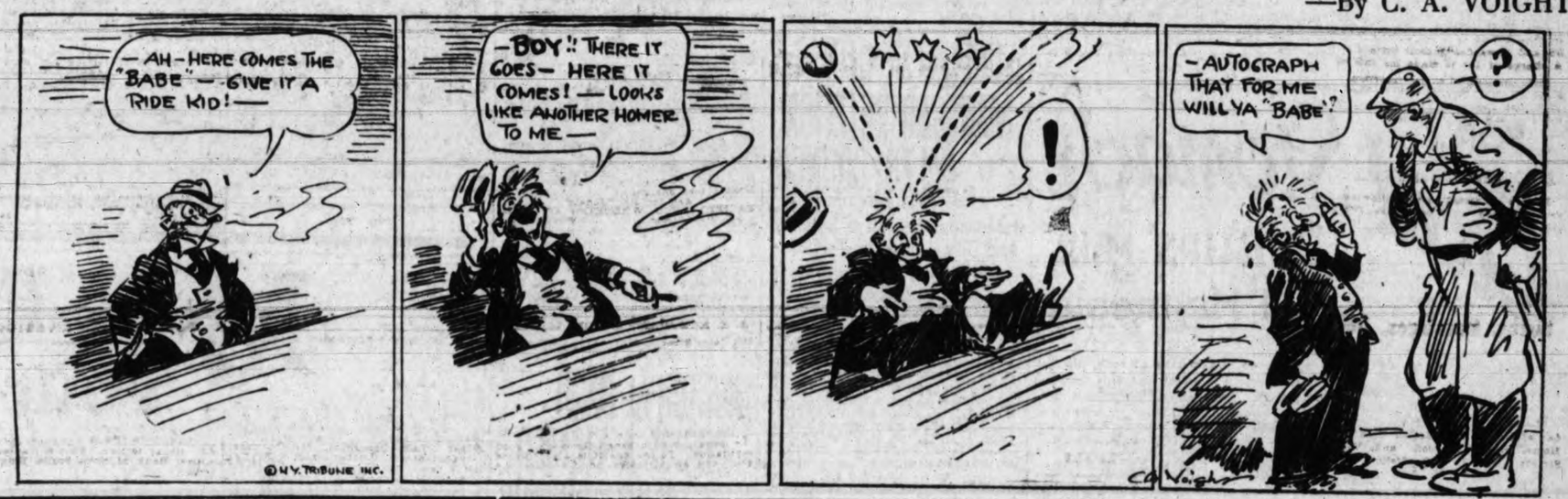

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Carpenters Want $7 a Day and Agreement With Builders' Exchange

A complete cessation of all building activity is claimed by Victoria carpenters who went on strike this morning following the failure of builders and men to reach an agreement after months of deliberation. Some eighty skilled artisans left their jobs to-day, and while trade union officials concede that here and there work may be proceeding with non-union labor and with the older men, they say the effect of the strike is a complete tie-up of the construction now planned, or under way.

The history of the dispute as outlined by the carpenters is three months' old. Union men moved for a $7-a-day wage and sought an agreement to that effect with the Builders' Exchange. This was refused, and mass meetings resulted, the last being held last night when the strike vote was ratified. The former wage paid was $6 a day.

The Victoria artisans base their argument on the conditions said to exist in the trade, and point to Vancouver where they say a wage of $7.50 a day has been agreed upon with the builders. Though there are builders who have already met the $7 wage asked, the carpenters want a general agreement to that effect, they say.

Here and there throughout the city to-day work on dwellings, offices and alterations was proceeding in some cases with the aid of men called in to carry on. Non-union men and the elder members of the trade stayed at the jobs. Striking carpenters held a meeting at the Trades Hall to-day to discuss the situation, and to keep in touch with the progress of events. The strike, so far, has been free from any outward show of feeling, and quiet reigns.

WORDING OF CITY MANAGER PETITION HALTS COUNCIL

Reference to City Solicitor and City Clerk For Verification is Action Taken

As anticipated yesterday the city manager petition, signed by 2,439 reputed ratepayers, reached the City Council last night and was as promptly referred to the City Solicitor and City Clerk for report. The prayer of the petition goes to the solicitor for report on its legal status, and the list of names to the city clerk to check over those given as eligible to express an opinion on the subject.

Alderman E. S. Woodward expressed grave doubts as to the legality of the petition in regard to its wording. It would place a city manager in the position of a life-long vocation so long as he retained three members of a current council who would sponsor his case, said Alderman Woodward, who pointed to the wording of the petition calling for a three-fourths vote of the council to eject an appointee.

Alderman H. C. Holmes, David Leeming, J. H. Gillespie and John Dean were mentioned as the leading petitioners whose prayer was supported by a full roster of 2,439 names, or more than the 500 required to prefer a prayer to be laid before the ratepayers by way of referendum. Alderman Holmes and John Dean were present in person as the petition was read. The wording of the preamble was as follows:

PETITION

"The Petition of the undersigned persons qualified to vote for the election of members of the Council of the City of Victoria, showeth:

"WHEREAS, by Section 5 of the Municipal Manager Act, Chapter 34, of the Statutes of British Columbia, 1925, it is provided that:

"'Upon receipt by the Council of a petition signed by five per cent. of the persons qualified to vote for the election of members of the Council, praying that a by-law be submitted for the assent of the electors authorizing the delegation to an official as set out in Section 3 of such duties and powers, subject to the provisions of Section 6, as may be specified in the petition, it shall be the duty of the Council to submit a by-law in accordance with the prayer of the petition, and in the event of its being approved by a majority of the electors who shall vote on the question, to finally pass the by-law and to appoint the official as therein provided.'

"YOUR PETITIONERS therefore pray that your Honorable Body submit a by-law for the assent of the electors of the City of Victoria in accordance with said Act authorizing the appointment of a Municipal Manager subject to dismissal at any time by a three-fourths vote of all the members of the Council, one of tried and approved ability and reputation for success in that capacity in some other city and to delegate to him the power necessary for the complete administration of all the civic departments, including the regulation of the duties of all civic employees with authority to engage and to determine the tenure of office of any such employees.

"THAT said by-law be so submitted within the period of one month from the receipt of this Petition by your Honorable Body.

"AND your Petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray:"

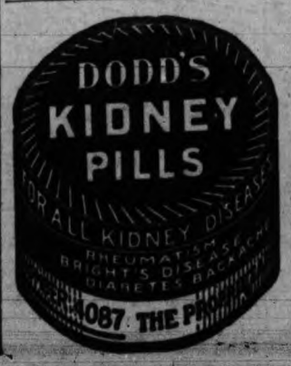
Alderman F. R. Brown moved that the petition be received and sent to the City Solicitor and City Clerk for report, instructing the solicitor at the same time to take any legal advice he needed to ascertain if the wording of the prayer was in order.

Alderman Holmes sugested that H. S. Pringle, City Solicitor, had already seen the petition and could give his opinion at once to the council. This course, however, was denied.

Alderman Wm. Marchant moved an amendment asking for a report by the two officials named, but deleting the need of a reference to any other legal authority for advice. This carried by seven votes to three; Aldermen H. C. Holmes, P. R. Brown and E. S. Woodward voting in the negative.

No further discussion took place on the petition at this time, but later Alderman E. S. Woodward gave it as his opinion that the wording of the petition would prove its undoing. The right to hire and fire, he said, could be delegated to a city manager, he thought, but his tenure of office could not remain at the pleasure of a three-fourths vote of the council. Three men on the council favorable to any appointee could keep him in office for life, suggested Alderman Woodward, as one of the points Mr. Pringle will be asked to report upon.

The petition was then tabled for report at the next council session.



CITY STANDS OUT FOR ARBITRATION UNDER OWN TERMS

Oak Bay to be Told Victoria Wishes to Apply 1925 Enactment to Water Dispute

On the advice of the City Water Commissioner, Frank M. Preston, Oak Bay will be notified that the City claims settlement of its water rate dispute under the Esquimalt Waterworks Winding Up Act of 1925, and will not tacitly agree to arbitration under the 1910 Oak Bay measure, the City Council decided last night.

Formal notice of Oak Bay's intention to appeal to the Provincial Water Commissioner, was received by the city from Reeve Herbert Anscomb, as stated in yesterday's Times, and referred by the Council to its water committee without further delay.

This course was recommended by Mr. Preston, who further urged that the city set out in formal fashion, disinclination to argue the case under the 1910 measure. This concluded discussion on the water rate issue at the Council session last night.

MUNICIPAL BAND CHOICE AFFIRMED BY CITY COUNCIL

Parks Committee's Action is Endorsed on Revision of Subject

Pressed by a protest from Lt.-Col. J. C. Harris, officer commanding the Fifth Regiment, C.G.A., the City Council last night reopened the band concert issue. Once more the Council affirmed the stand taken by the parks committee, to which group it had delegated its power to make provision for Summer band concerts.

In a written protest Col. Harris complained of the decision of the parks committee to create a municipal band along the lines already outlined, was inimicable to best interests of the regimental institutions of the city.

In this the commanding officer was supported by Alderman Joseph B. Clearihue, who said that it meant the extinction of the Fifth Regiment band, which was, he said, the oldest organization of its kind in the city.

Alderman William Marchant, as chairman of the parks committee, explained that the issue had been decided by the committee in a fair and unbiased way. Accepting the offer of the Rotary Club to put up $2,000 on a dollar for dollar basis, the city group had selected a bandmaster by unanimous ballot, and had left to him the selection of twenty-eight bandsmen who would constitute the municipal band. The unanimous ballot marked had favored Bandmaster James Miller, and the committee saw no reason to reconsider its verdict or repudiate its choice.

After some bickering and further discussion, in which it was said that no choice made by the committee could please all factions, the Council referred the whole affair to the parks committee, with a confirmation of its stand and the request that Lt.-Col. Harris be enlightened as to the true status of the case. This action carried.

A programme of Sunday and Wednesday concerts during the Summer months has been arranged and the bandmaster already appointed to his office, said Alderman Marchant in closing the debate.

NARCOTIC ACT IS AMENDED

Ottawa, June 1.—First reading was given in the House of Commons yesterday to bills amending the Canadian Red Cross Society Act and the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act. The first amendment, it was explained, gave the Red Cross Society power to dispose of property. The amendments to the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act were designed, it was explained by Hon. J. C. Elliott, Minister of Health, to check up more closely on the sale of narcotics by druggists.

COUNCIL GET JOLT FROM AUDITORS ON DELINQUENT TAXES

One Ratepayer's Delinquency Runs Into $2,700, City Is Told

Special Extension of Time Under Fifteen-year Plan is Much Abused

Delinquent taxpayers under the fifteen year extension plan, remiss tenants on city land and others who have defaulted in the settlement of their just accounts with the city treasury are due for a shake-up.

Grave delinquencies in the sums due the city under the long term extension plan were reported to the City Council last night by the auditors, Messrs. Ismay, Boiston and Holden. Some ratepayers had fallen altogether behind in the interest and current tax payments and have already placed themselves within the confiscation clause of the pact.

One ratepayer, it was reported, owed the city the sum of $2,700 in arrears of interest and tax sums, under the fifteen year extension which was designed as an especially easy form of payment to stop land reversions in the critical period of the city's history prior to 1922.

No matter where its heart lay in the case the city has no other recourse then to serve the thirty days' notice of confiscation upon the delinquents, giving them that period in which to pay the full sums outstanding, including principal, interest, taxes and all charges, or else lose their holdings by way of forfeiture at the expiry of the thirty days' grace. Prominent names were on the list of those read as falling within the delinquent class.

The City Council heard a special report on the situation just prior to the regular session last night. The report of the auditors showed that the city had no other course than to take instant action against the delinquents. A sheaf of "thirty-day notices" will be placed in the mail to-day.

It is recalled that when the fifteen year plan went into effect in the year 1922 taxpayers who were having difficulty in meeting their bills in that period of post-war depression were given the advantage of consolidating all arrears into what became known as the principal sum, to be paid in 1937, leaving only the interest and the current yearly taxes to be paid by the ratepayers before the date of ultimate settlement.

If, under the fifteen-year extension plan, the taxpayer defaulted in the interest or tax sums due in any one year he was served with a six months' notice which gave him a further half-year to make good the default and to re-establish himself again in the status of one meeting his obligations. If at the end of the year this had not been done a thirty-day notice was sent out, with forfeiture at the end of th period if sums still remained to be paid.

Though a great many taxpayers who took advantage of the plan are successfully meeting its requirements at this date, there have been a number who have again fallen behind in the interest and annual tax charges. These will be called to account without further delay.

The council also decided to take stern measures to collect from city tenants who in isolated instances have come to look on the corporation as an "easy mark." Three distress warrants are now in the hands of the sheriff for execution against outstanding offenders in the tenant class. Others are due to be served this week. Altogether the city treasury officials plan to make a concerted drive on all delinquents on the city's books who have displayed neither the ability nor willingness to meet their just obligations.

The action of the council was precipitated by the auditors, who drew the attention of the mayor and council to a condition they said could not be permitted to continue without placing all now serving on that body in a very dangerous position.

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KIWANIANS ARE THANKED FOR GIFT

City Council is Appreciative of Fine Effort by Clubmen

The Kiwanis Club of Victoria came in for warm praise at the hands of the City Council last night, when that body adopted a resolution offered by the chairman of the parks committee, Alderman William Marchant, thanking the clubmen for the gift of a wading pool to the children of Victoria. The resolution reads as follows:

"Resolved that the City Council place on record its great appreciation of the public service rendered by the members of the Kiwanis Club in planning and executing the construction work of the wading pool in Beacon Hill Park; and hereby tenders to them the sincere and hearty thanks of the citizens of Victoria."

The resolution was adopted after a general and sincere tribute to the local clubmen who had made the wading pool project a great success.

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